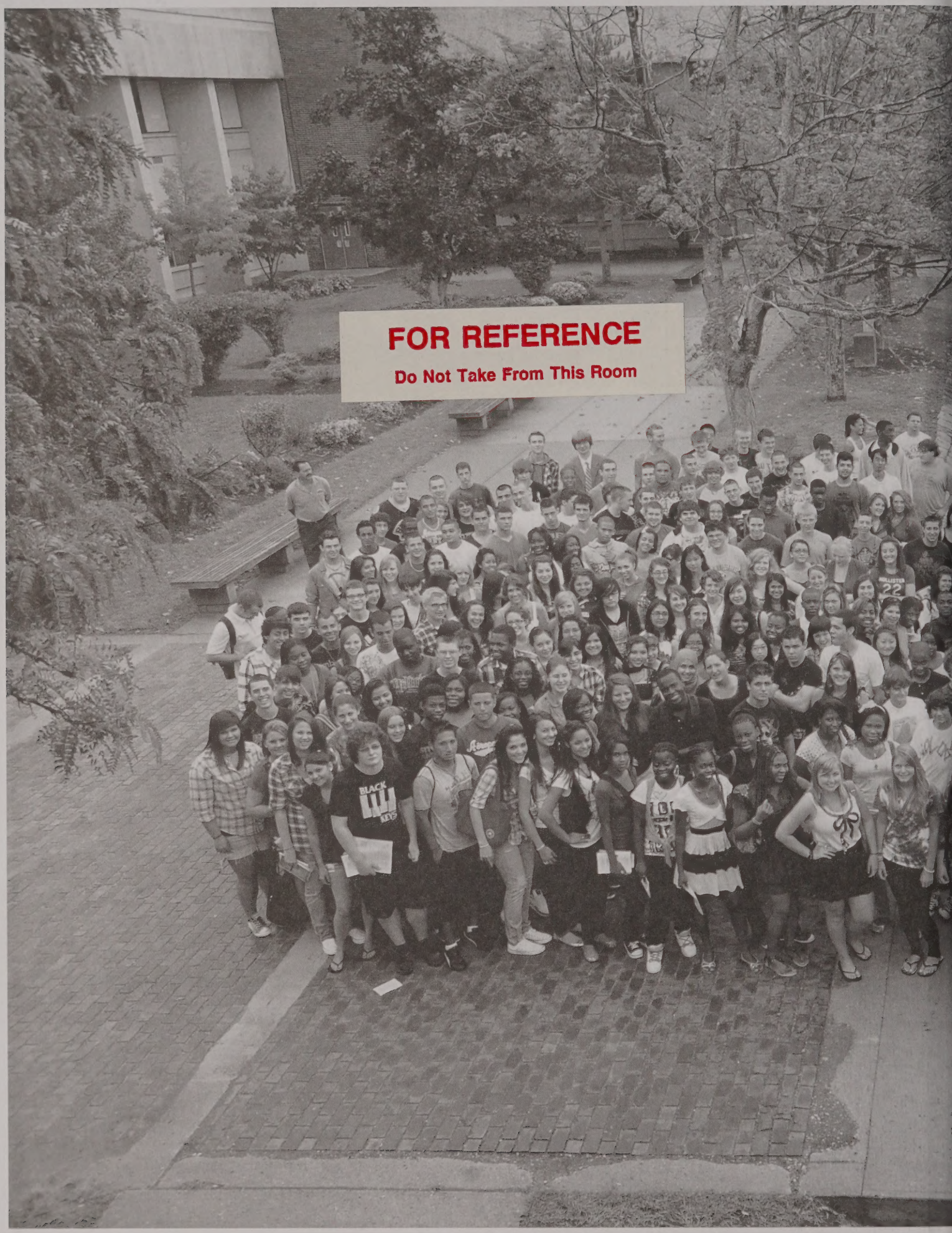
IT'S OUR TIME

Medford High 2010-2011



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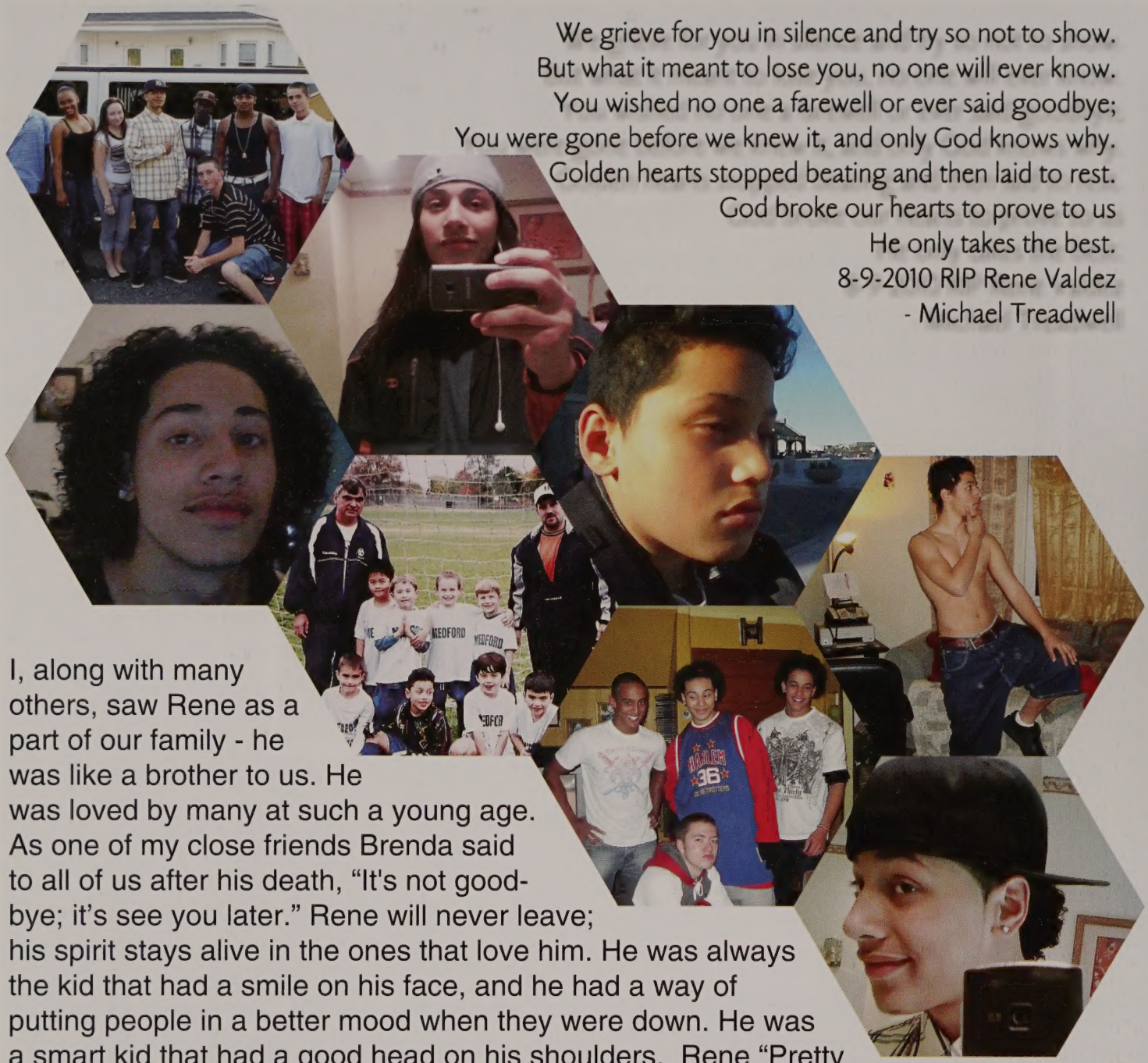
Time after time, year after year, we have experienced the last bell at 7:45 AM, Dr. Krueger's "special announcements," and the difficulty of finding an open bathroom at the most inconvienent times. Week after week, day after day, we have gone to classes with the same groups of people, and sat at lunch with the same group of friends. Now it is "Our Time" - our senior year, finally time to mark our place at Medford High. As time passes, we will not remember the English papers we failed or the SATs for which we spent months preparing. Instead, we will remember the experiences we have had and the friends that we have made at Medford High School.

"Time is free, but it's priceless.
You can't own it, but you can use it.
You can't keep it but you can spend it.
Once you've lost it, you can never get it back."
- Harvey McKay, *Swim With the Sharks Without Being Eaten Alive*



We grieve for you in silence and try so not to show.
But what it meant to lose you, no one will ever know.
You wished no one a farewell or ever said goodbye;
You were gone before we knew it, and only God knows why.
Golden hearts stopped beating and then laid to rest.
God broke our hearts to prove to us
He only takes the best.
8-9-2010 RIP Rene Valdez
- Michael Treadwell

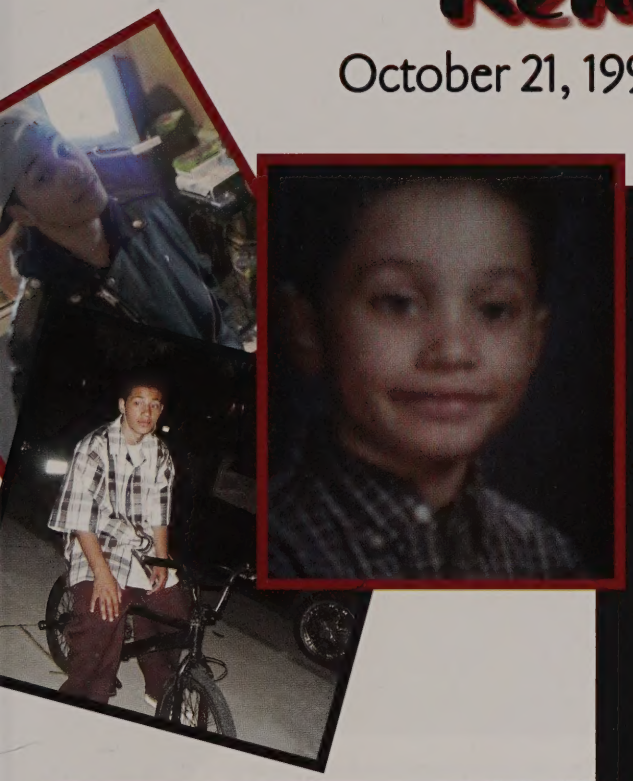
I, along with many others, saw Rene as a part of our family - he was like a brother to us. He was loved by many at such a young age. As one of my close friends Brenda said to all of us after his death, "It's not good-bye; it's see you later." Rene will never leave; his spirit stays alive in the ones that love him. He was always the kid that had a smile on his face, and he had a way of putting people in a better mood when they were down. He was a smart kid that had a good head on his shoulders. Rene "Pretty Boy" Valdez will never be forgotten. May he rest in peace and keep that smile on his face.

- AJ Graham

Be Easy

Rene Valdez

October 21, 1994 - August 9, 2010



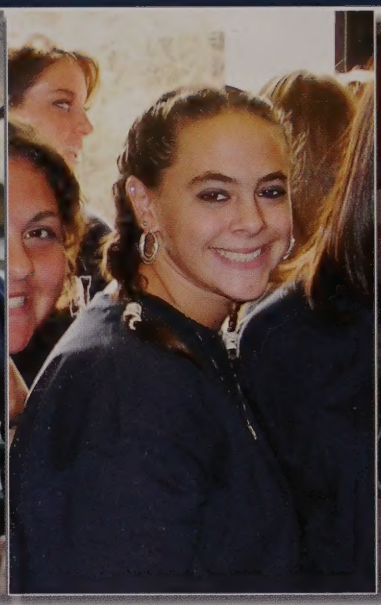
Your Gentle Face

Your gentle face and patient smile
With sadness we recall.
You had a kindly word for each
And died beloved by all.
The voice is mute and stilled the heart
That loved us well and true.
Ah, bitter was the trial to part
From one so good as you.
You are not forgotten, loved one,
Nor will you ever be.
As long as life and memory last
We will remember thee.
We miss you now, our hearts are sore,
As time goes by we miss you more,
Your loving smile, your gentle face;
No one can fill your vacant place.

"Love will Never Fade"
by Gabriela Frank

No matter how far away,
Our love will never fade.
I pray to see you at night
So you can just hold me tight.
Things will never be the same,
But our love will always remain.
I'll never say goodbye
'Cause I know you're by my side.

You will never be forgotten.

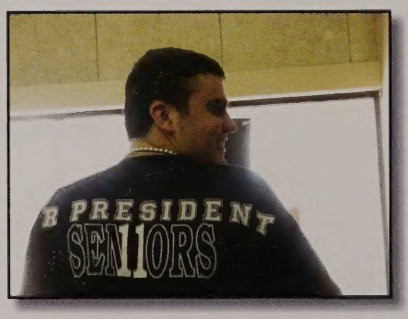


Ariana Roche, Raymond Pedrick, Denise Palmacci, Marcello Cugno

The Senior Class Officers

It is imperative that we recognize the importance that these individuals had over our excellent senior year.

At least one of our class officers were responsible for every student-run program, event or activity this year. Each individual brings their own unique perspective to events relating to our senior year. The officers' dedication and motivation helped to make our experiences the very best they could be.



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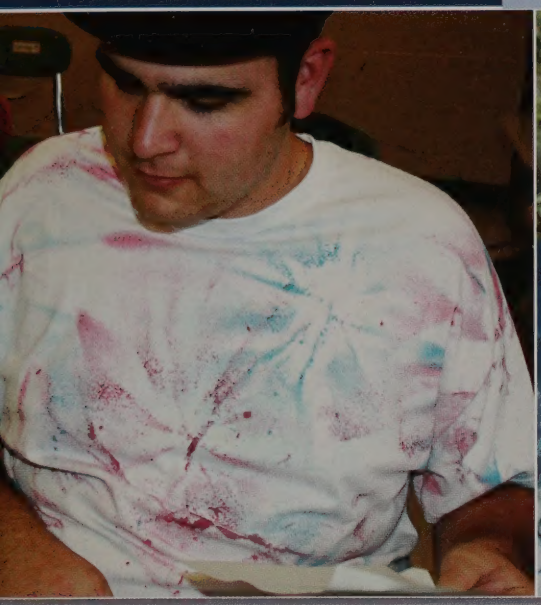

David McKillop, Miranda Smith, Mikayla McGoff

Our class advisors, Ms. Westmark, Ms. Smith and Ms. Trainor have guided us through our four years at Medford High School. With their aid, guidance, and insight, these three people have done an excellent job helping us to become successful students. For that, the senior class commends our class advisors.

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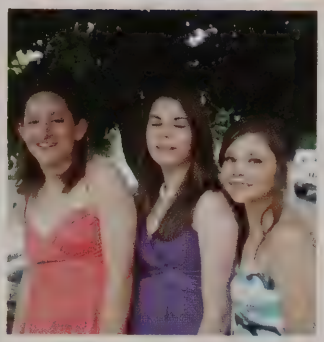
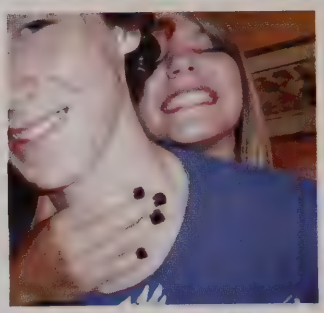
AS TIME MOVES...

"As a class we have matured, though it's difficult to realize that since freshman year. Even though some people have grown apart, the majority of us have grown together."-Debbie Soares

"Be comfortable with who you are; you don't need to change to make friends." - Gavin Lynch

FRESHMAN

"Freedom of the Snakes."
- Felipe DaCosta

SOPHOMORE

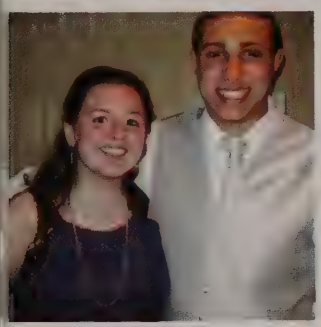
"Just don't forget this, we won't regret this, we've got one chance to get this right."- Jenna Petrella

JUNIOR

SENIOR

"The first three years of high school we anticipated becoming adults. Senior year finally comes and all that preparation has paid off."- -Mark Roberto

"Stay true to yourself; the truth will set you free." - Matt Giaimo



"I don't regret anything. I've made the best of friends. I've learned to love to learn. And I'm happy the food improved." - Jen Uang

"I'll always remember the lax bros..." -Evan Jones

"What a long strange road it's been..." -Mikayla McGoff

Senior Interviews

Jared Archdeacon

Q: What was your favorite high school experience?

I loved Junior Prom because the DJ played Daft Punk!

Q: What is a piece of advice that you would like to give the class of 2011?

Loosen up! Don't take yourself so seriously.

Q: What do you want to do after MHS?

I want to become a park ranger and start my own scented candle company using the natural ingredients I find in my park.

Q: Who is someone that you met at MHS whom you will always remember?

Mr. Szykniej. I never had him in middle-school, so when I first had him I was a little intimidated, but after orchestra I saw how awesome he is.

Yuna Farah

Q: What was your favorite high school experience?

Sophomore year math class when Thomas hid under Ms. Marotta's desk and waited for her to sit. Instead he waited for twenty minutes while she spoke to Dr. Krueger.

Q: What piece of advice that would you like to give to the class of 2011?

Be careful what you do; even the smallest things can make a big difference.

Thomas Flores

Q: What was your favorite high school experience?

The lockdown freshman year. We were in Mr. Kain's room for half an hour. It was a good introduction to high school.

Q: Who is a memorable teacher you had at MHS?

Mr. Heinegg, because we could have conversations about anything and no other teacher teaches the Urban Dictionary.

Q: What are your thoughts on the MHS campus?

There is room for improvement. They need to brighten up the place so kids don't dread coming into a gray concrete building, but overall I can't complain.

Mike Montiel

Q: What do you want to do after MHS?

I plan to become a high school history teacher, preferably US history, but by that point I'll take whatever I can get!

Q: Who is someone that you met at MHS whom you will always remember?

Gina DiStefano. I can without a doubt say has been one of the closest relationships I have made at MHS. I met her in Ms. Smith's class and ever since then we have done everything together.

Q: What was your favorite high school experience?

Participating in the Thanksgiving Day football game. It was like no game I have ever played before. The rush of excitement I had before the game and the rush of emotions I had during the game were unlike anything I have ever felt before.

Jasmine Etesse

Q: What was your favorite high school experience?

The trip to Kimballs Farms. Even though it started raining while we were on the trip, everybody made the best of it. I especially liked the bumper boats!

Q: What clubs and sports did you participate in?

Freshman and Sophomore year I participated in cross-country, and freshman year to the present I've participated in Mock Trial and the Spring Musical.

Q: What is a piece of advice that you would like to give to the Class of 2011?

Continue the success wherever life takes you and don't let others define who you are or your potential. And Congratulations!

Brian Burgess

Q: What was your favorite high school experience?

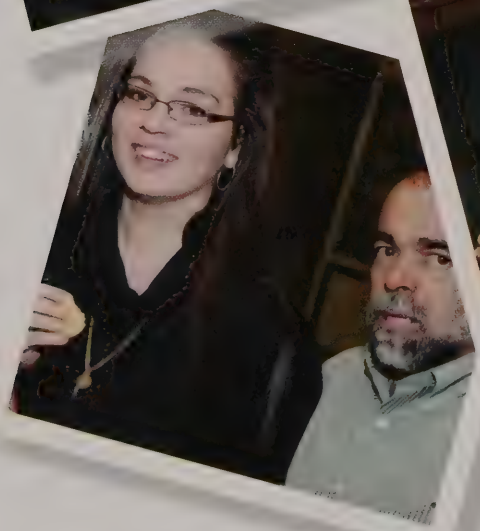
Meeting my friends. They made these four years fly by and are the funniest people I'll ever meet.

Q: What is a piece of advice you would like to give to the class of 2011?

Do what YOU want. Look reality straight in the eye and deny it.

Q: Who is someone you met at MHS whom you will always remember?

Mr. Lewis. From day one we clicked all because of Tim & Eric Awesome Shoe Great Job. We shared the same musical, literary, comedic, and everyday interests.



Curtis Tufts

The Curtis-Tufts High School is part of the Medford Public Schools and provides students in special education a unique setting to grow, academically and personally, while meeting traditional graduation requirements. The Curtis-Tufts High School is a smaller school setting that affords students a close connection with teachers, individualized instruction, social and emotional development, and a chance to be academically successful.

These photos are from the annual "Tuesday Thanksgiving Dinner." The dinner is a great opportunity for students and staff to work together to prepare a traditional feast for the whole community. The Curtis-Tufts community invites numerous supporters from Medford and various "friends of the Curtis" - including Mayor McGlynn, who always challenges the students to a game of pool. Students and staff transform the lunchroom with holiday decorations, linens, and the entrancing smell of traditional foods: appetizers, turkey, vegetables, and desserts. The dinner signals the start of each holiday season and helps teach students what can be accomplished when a community works together.

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Johanne Aguy

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Nicholas Alberino

Malcolm Alexandre

Ricobert Altema

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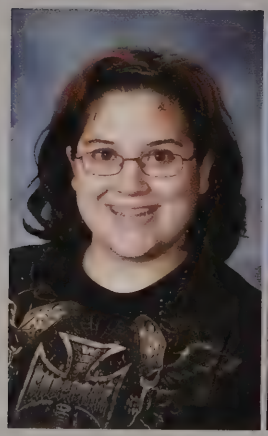
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Yoann Antoine

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Lisa Bandoian

Shannon Barnes

Isaac Bears

Daniel Beemon

Irsh Belizaire

Renata Biella

Natalia Boos

Natasha Boos

Thalia Borba

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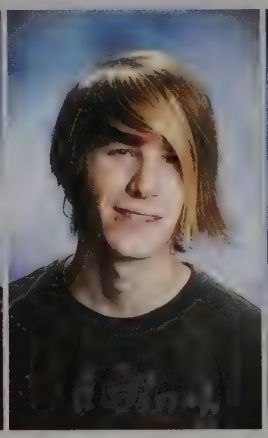
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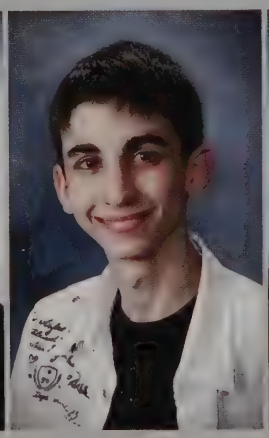
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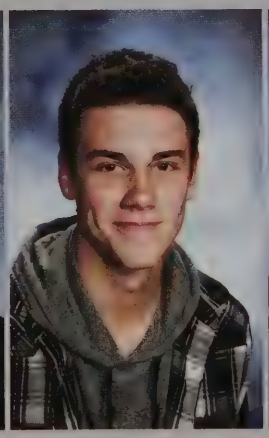
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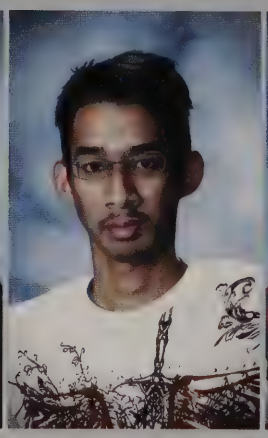
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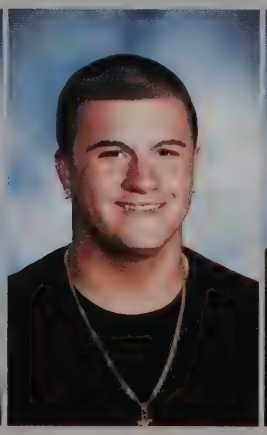
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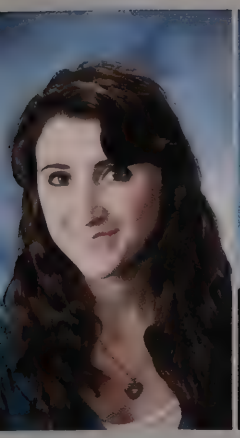
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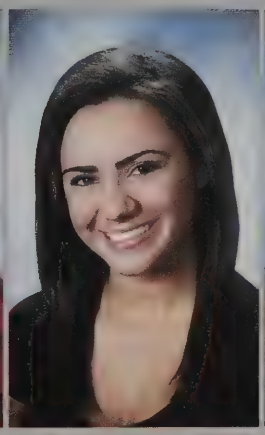
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Alec Finn

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Alison Fleming

Eric Fleming

Cassandra Fleuritus

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Madeline Forcier

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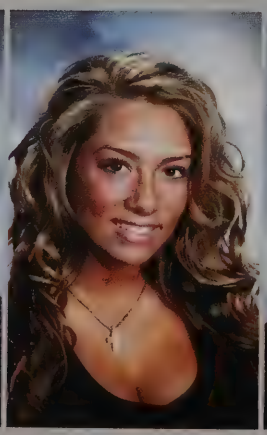
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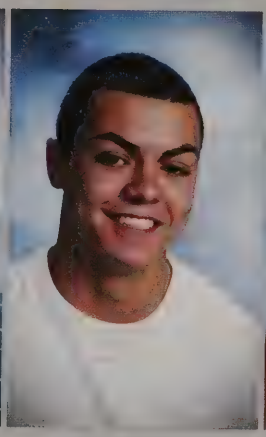
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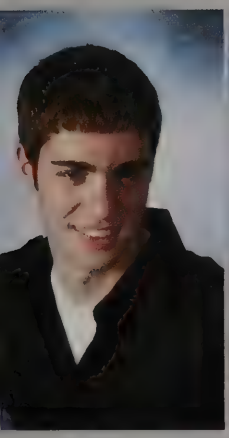
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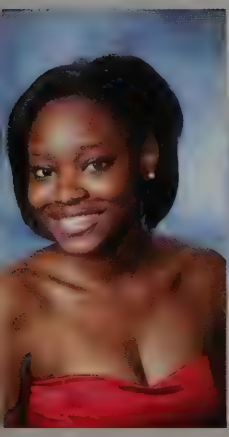
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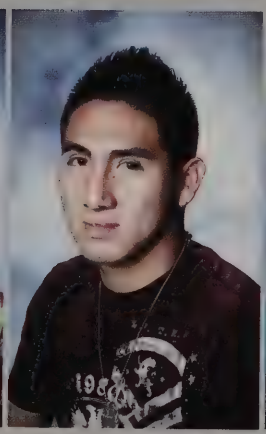
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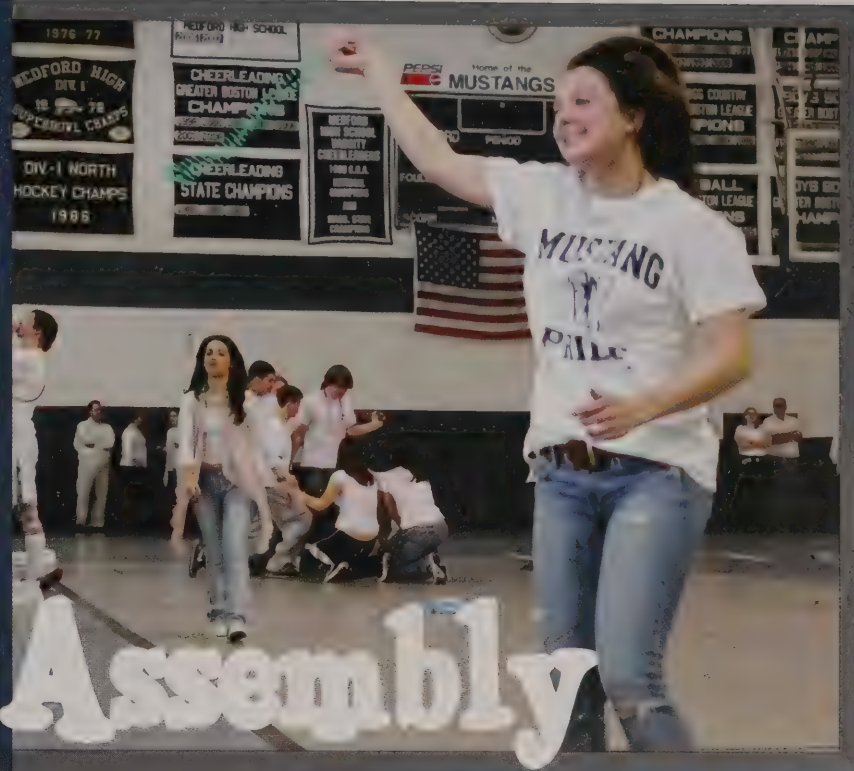


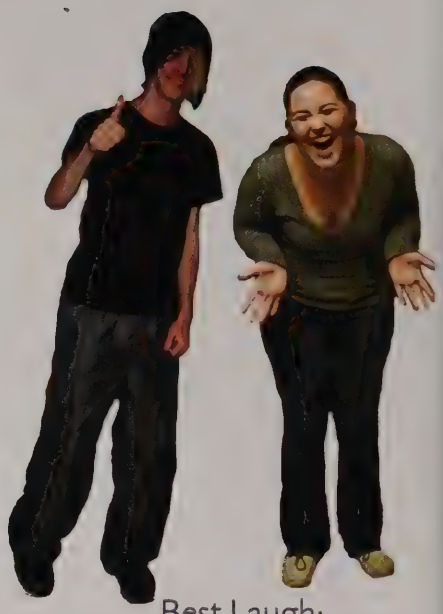
2011 Senior

By: Deanna Cavallaro

Most Intelligent:
Yuna Farah and
Dan Beemon

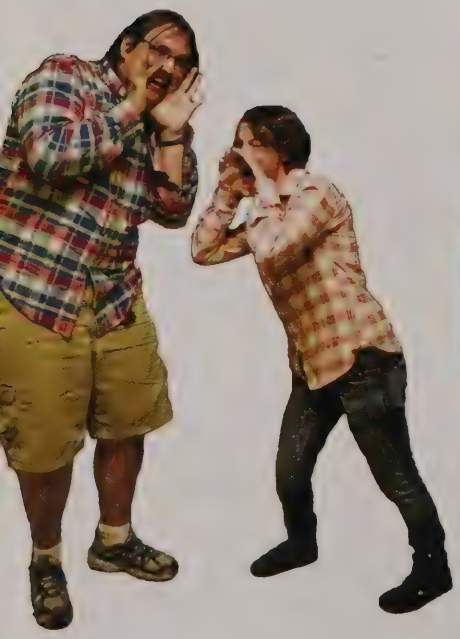
Most Shy:
Dorothy Orlando
and Joe Morgan

Best Nicknames:
Ivana "Vank" Garcia and
Robert "Pooch" Repucci



Best Laugh:
Josh Brownmiller
and Sarah Moulton

Most Argumentative:
Zac Bears and
Caitlyn Levine



Most Changed:
Max Liner and
Deveney Williams

Most Sarcastic:
Suzanna Lossio and
Pat Morey

Best Friends:
Pio Romano and
Joao Rosa

Best Friends:
Alexa Downs and
Cailyn Toomey

Most Friendly:
Mikayla McGoff
and Pio Romano

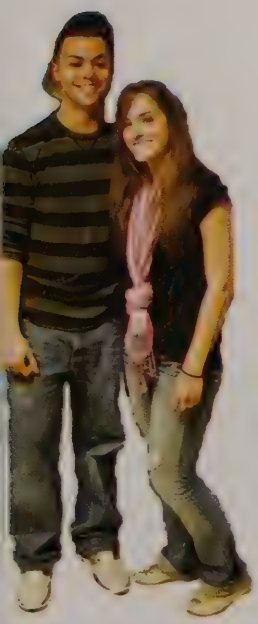
Most Artistic:
Billy Russell and
Ericka Silva

Best Hair:
Evan Jones and
Lauren Bandoian

Couple that Should
Have Been:
Danny Gilchrist and
Alisa Hartnett

Superlatives

Most Talkative:
Raymond Pedrick and
Rachel Polcaro



Best Eyes:
Chris Salvati and
Emily Traniello

Best Smile:
oe Pappalardo and
Michaela Botticelli

Most MHS Pride:
David McKillop and
Ariana Roche

Class Couple:
Lindsey Bandoian
and Chris Salvati

Best Dressed:
Taylor Mason and
Mike Guerrero

Class Clowns:
Gina Distefano and
John Ibrahim

Class Flirts:
Jean Perez and
Lynsie Brogan

Most Conceited:
Danny Gilchrist and
Marisa Fouraux

"Be who you are and say what you feel because those who mind

Most Likely to Teach at MHS:
Laila Saddedin, Marcello
Cugno and Lindsay Page

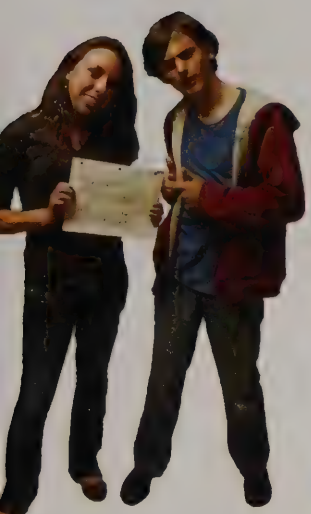
Drama King and Queen:
Mike Montiel and Katie
Vining

Best Friends Male
and Female:
Sarah Pierce and
Pauly Righini

Most Popular:
Katie O'Brien and
Pat Trainor

Best Musicians:
Emory Paine
and Laura Brogan

Best Looking:
Thomas Flores and
Alana Viveiros



Most Gullible:
Lisa Bandoian
and Adam Zec

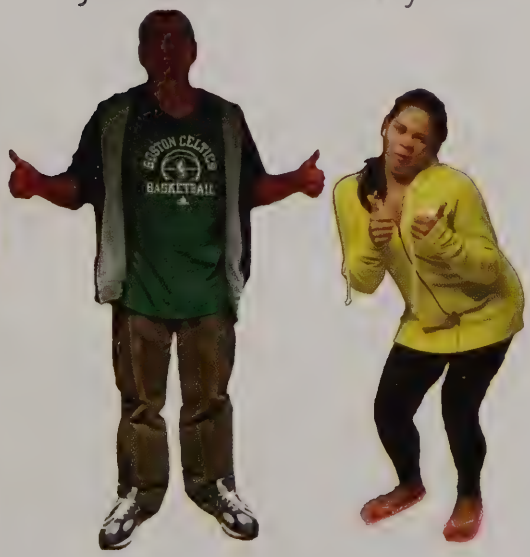
Best Stage Performers:
Kelsey Buckley and
Felipe DaCosta

Class Cuties:
Paul Covino and
Debbie Soares

don't matter, and those who matter don't mind." ~ Dr. Seuss

Most Likely to be Remembered
by a Teacher:
John Williams and Kasey Moran

Most Likely to
Succeed:
Emily Nixon and
Danny Nyguen



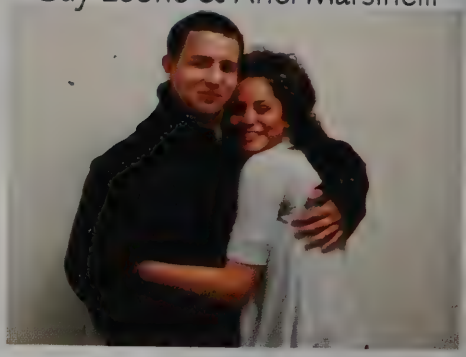
Most Versatile:
Joao Rosa and
Deanna Cavallaro

Most Athletic:
Kristina Bove and Jack
Forcier

Best Friends - Females
Brittany Delicato & Katilyn Sullivan

Best Friends - Males
Gary Roberts & Jonathan Morais

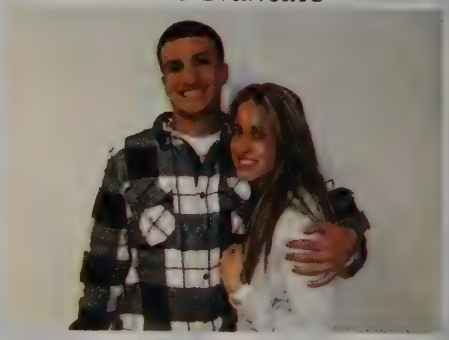
Class Couple
Guy Leone & Ariel Marsinelli



Class Clowns
John Feeney & Jacquelyn Schurko

Drama Queen and Kings
Brianna Giorgio, Mike Brancato & Ryan Marckini

Couple that should've been
Nicole Carbonneau & Mike Brancato

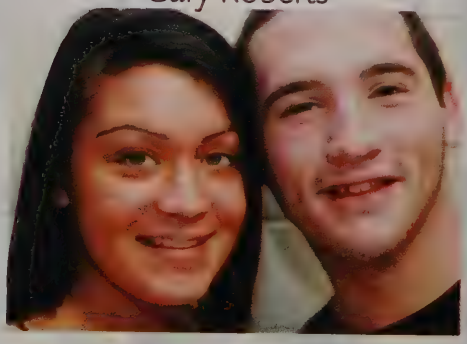


2011 Voke

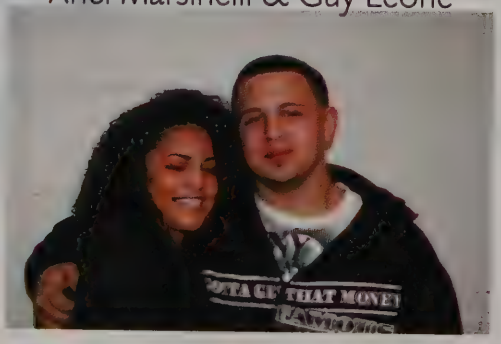
Best Dressed
Ryan Marckini & Krysten Sheppard

Best Hair
Nick Siliciano, Lauren Leahy, & Joe Avola

Nicest Eyes
Meghan MacCarthy & Gary Roberts



Best Laugh
Ariel Marsinelli & Guy Leone



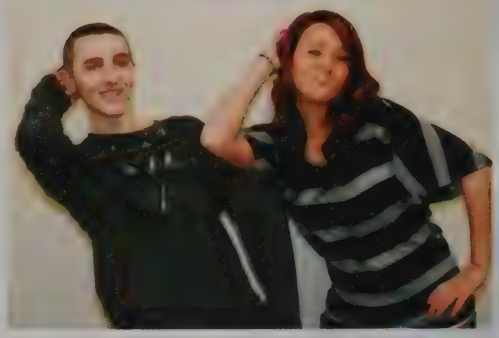
Best Smile
John Feeney & Kayla Trudel

Superlatives

Best Musician
Chris Silva & Cassandra Fleuritus

Most Athletic
Alec Finn & Kristina Hillis

Best Dancers
Lauren Leahy & Corey Koehler

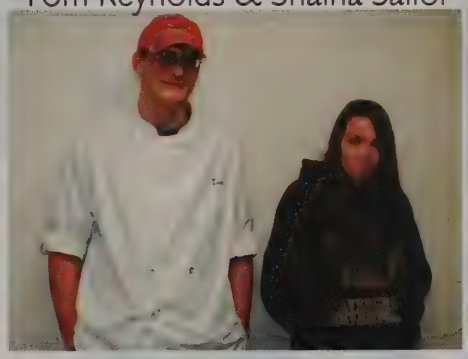


Most Likely to Succeed
Greg Sanon, Chris Tran, &
Melissa O'Brien

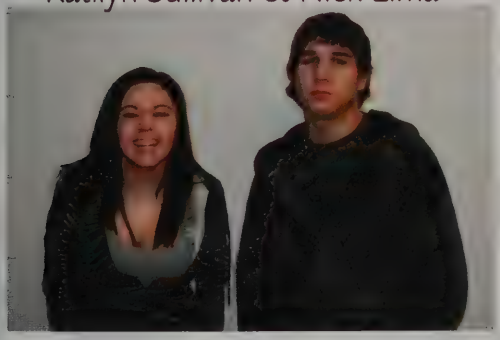
Most Artistic
Carlos Zamora &
Stephanie Corcoran

Biggest Flirts
Brianna Giorgio &
Mike Brancato

Most Shy
Tom Reynolds & Shaina Sailor

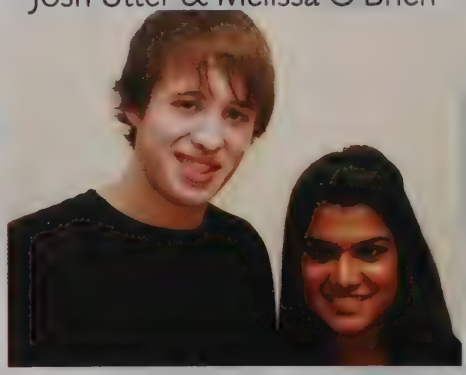


Most Likely to Teach at MVTHS
Katilyn Sullivan & Nick Lima

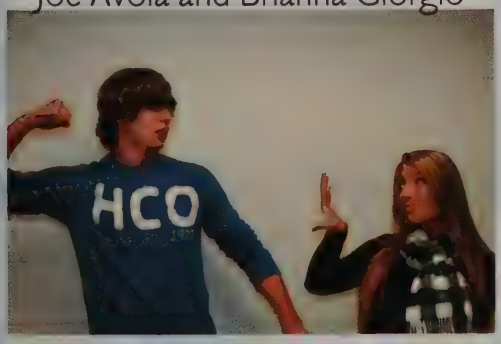


Most Changed
Josh Utter & Ariel Marsinelli

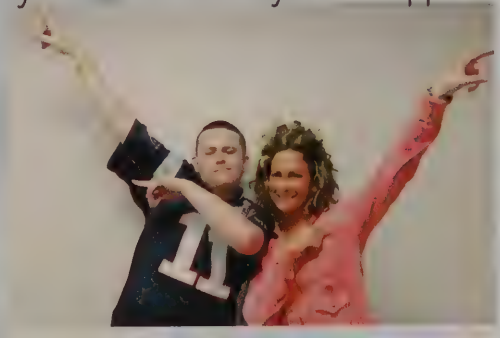
Teacher's Pet
Josh Utter & Melissa O'Brien



Most likely to be on a Reality Show
Joe Avola and Brianna Giorgio

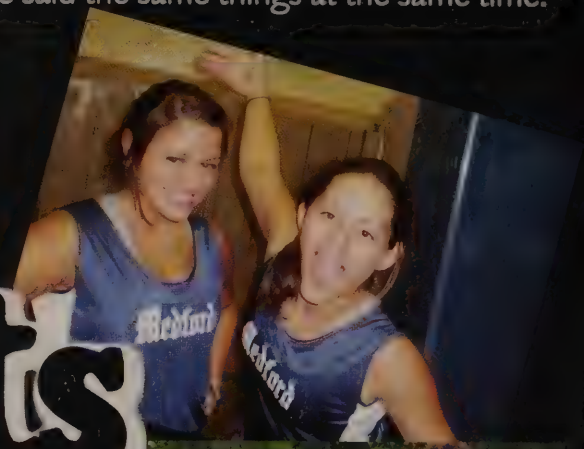


Most School Spirit
Ryan Marckini & Krysten Sheppard



"No, I don't think we share any telepathy, but there have been a few occassions when we have looked at one another and known what we were thinking or when we have said the same things at the same time."
-Bandoian Triplets

Twins & Triplets

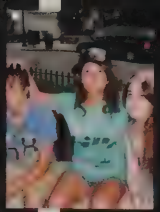


"My favorite memory of being a twin is the time I mixed us up. I was about seven years old, and was walking out of a store with my Dad and I saw a mirror. I told my Dad, 'Hey there's Christopher!' He just started laughing at me because for a moment I really thought it was my brother in the mirror."
-Ridge Twins

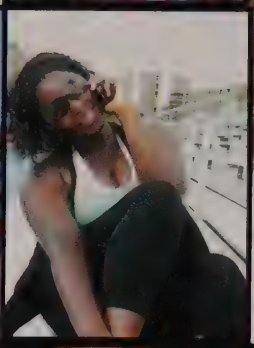
"The best part about being a twin is that you're never alone. Especially as children, we always had each other. We never had to call up friends because we were bored. W e were inseperable and did everything together: we rode bikes, played football and lacrosse, sailed, walked to school together, made forts, gambled with coins over a poker game. The possibilities were endless. We were best friends growing up and always went to each other for help."
-Forcier Twins

NOW & THEN

SUMMERTIME



For three months, Medford High students spend their days relaxing in the hot summer sun. Beaches are crowded with MHS students; however, some opted to spend their summer working. Senior Ivana Garcia spent her summer lifeguarding, while senior Emily Nixon worked in a biology Lab. Nonetheless, whether working in a lab or tanning in the sun, MHS students enjoyed their time away from school.



KIMBALL'S FARM

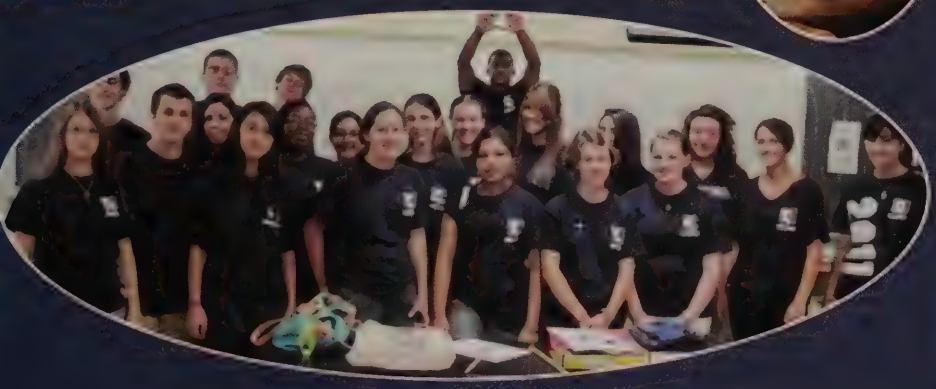
Senior Trip

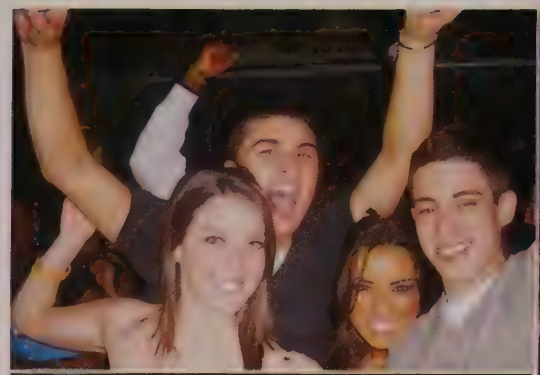
Mini Golf

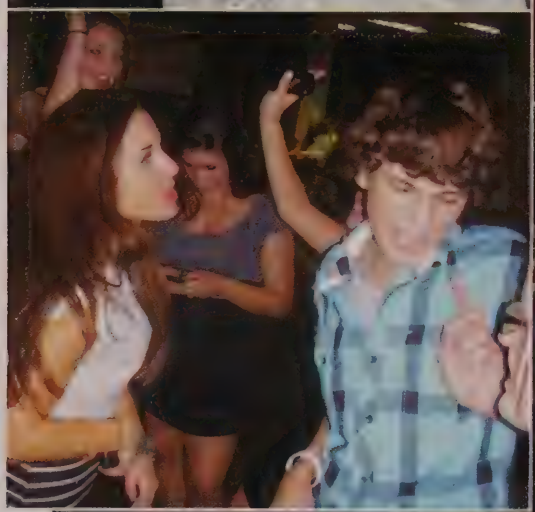
Arcade

On our trip to Kimball's farm in September 2010, students were greeted with barbecue and homemade ice cream right away, underneath assorted tents. Volleyball and the driving range became popular once the food was done - until of course, it started raining! Thunder and lightning drew people inside to the arcade, where games were swarmed and prizes were won. Once the rain was gone everyone returned outside, to play mini golf and battle each other in the bumperboats!

Senior Pride







A special thanks to Mr. Cullen and the Student Council for making the Homecoming dance possible!

Homecoming

All four grades piled in the lobby on October 15, 2010 for the annual Homecoming Dance. Organized by MHS student council and its advisor Mr. Cullen, the event was a success. DJ Luigi Disisto played plenty of music that kept the students dancing all night. Dozens of students danced on the stairs in the lobby to show off their dance moves. As the end of the night approached, the Homecoming King and Queen were announced: Abdius Maleus and Alisa Vita.

You Know You Went to MHS When...

-The heater works during the spring and the A.C works during the winter.

-You receive your schedule draft and there are blanks everywhere.

- The P.A. beeps into the classroom and there is absolute silence.

- You have daily meetings with your classes about sabotaging other students.

- You have to run all over the school to find the one open bathroom during that certain period.

-The Mustang color is navy blue but there is a maroon wall in each classroom.

-You have gotten your drink confiscated in the morning by Dr. Krueger.

-You have tried to find third floor A building.

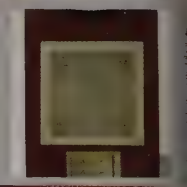
- Water fountains are caged in.

-You have gotten a late slip from Mr. Ross.

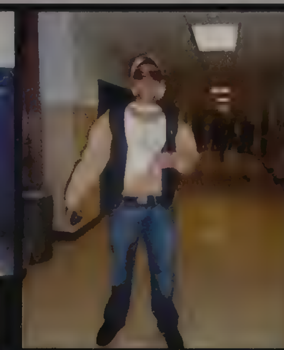
-You decide to stay home because you are too afraid to be late to school.

-The nurses give you "Tylenol" when it never actually helps.

-You have to push underclassmen out of your way to make it to class in time.



Halloween 2010



Senior Cars

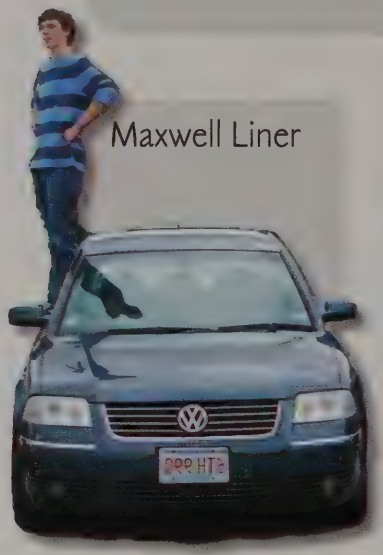
On September 30th, 2010, the seniors were asked to show off their cars after school. Here are some of our classmates and friends with their whips.

Paul Covino and "The Road King"

The Ferrazzani twins chill next to their Buick

Lynsie Brogan hangs out with her brand new car

Billy Ivey, Thomas Flores, Chris Salvati, and Michael Gendreau pose with Steve Scire and "Latino Heat"



Maxwell Liner

Ashley Lebert

Michaela Botticelli

Alisa Hartnett & "The Outlaw"

Rachel Polcaro, Olivia Timmins, Tasha&Talia Boos, Taylor Mason, Renata Kleifgen and Kathleen Harding with "The Bullet"

Suzanna, Emily and Deanna & "The White Russian"

Pio Romano

Alexa Downs

Raymond Pedrick

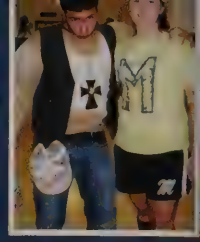
Mike Montiel & Pat Trainor

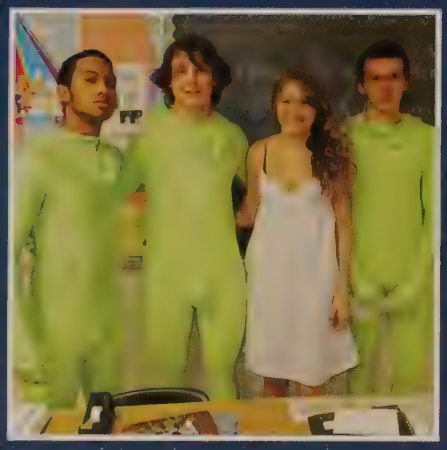
Marcello and David with "Big Red"

Jared Archdeacon, Brian Burgess, Patrick Morey and Zac Bears

"The Pep Rally is always something the seniors look forward to, so we were all really excited to be part of this tradition."

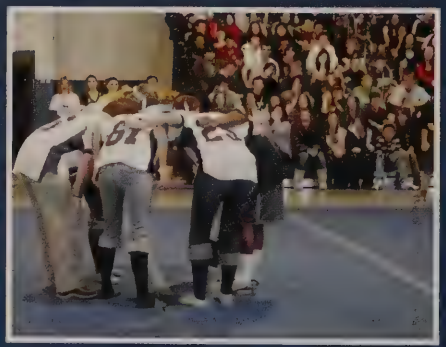
-Alisa Vita





Pep Rally

The Pep Rally this year had some very special guests. Which included Lil Wayne, Lady GaGa, The Jersey Shore and Taylor Swift



On November 25th, 2010's Thanksgiving Day Game, our Mustang boys had a long, tough game against Malden. The Mustangs put up a good fight, but ended up losing 29 to 0.

Thanksgiving Day Game

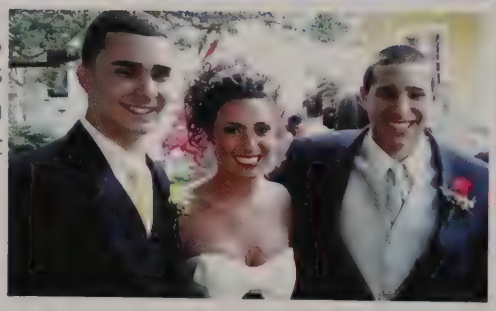
Prom Candids

The Class of 2011 had a blast at prom. Here are some of our classmates as they pose on this memorable day.

Senior Girls pose their beautiful dresses before prom!

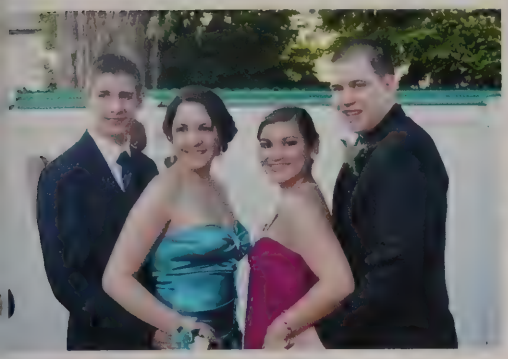
Rico Altema and: Laura Brogan

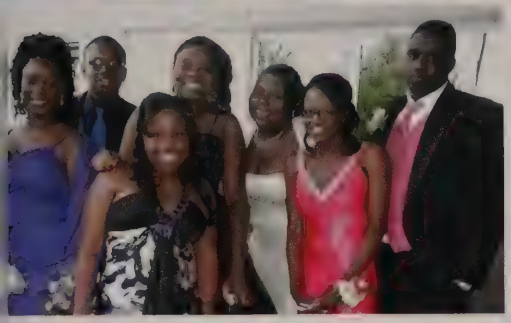
Ivana Garcia, Alana Viveiros and Ericka Silva are all smiles for a beautiful prom picture



Matt Giamo, Jessica Medeiros and John Ibrahim before heading out to prom!

Michaela Botticelli, Ashley Lebert, Cailyn Toomey and Alexa Downs





Twins Victoria & Vanessa Luongo with the Bandoian triplets, Lindsey, Lisa and Lauren

Renata, Rachel, Mikayla, Tasha, Ericka, and Talia pose for a funny photo

DAKTRONIC

Won At a Time

Boys' Soccer

"the team that brought traditon back"

State Tournament

1st round Medford vs. Everett 2-0 W
2nd round Medford at Brighton 2-0 W
3rd round Medford vs. Somerville 3-2 L

Seniors

(Top, L to R): Daniel Beemon, Joao Rosa, Rico Alterna, Chris Moura. (Bottom, L to R): David Pires, Marcello Cugno, Cesar Silva.

Coach Mike and Gidge became inseparable, both on and off of the soccer field.

Honorary Captain George "Gidge" Farraher leads his team after a win over Brighton in the 2nd round of the state tournament.

Regular Season Record

Somerville	3-2 W
Danvers	5-1 L
Saugus	3-0 W
Malden	4-0 W
Marblehead	3-0 W
Cambridge	4-4 T
Everett	2-1 W
Somerville	2-2 T
Burke	2-1 W
Malden Catholic	0-0 T
Malden	1-0 W
Billerica	0-0 T
East Boston	1-1 T
Cambridge (GBL)	2-0 W
Everett	1-0 W
BC High	3-0 L
Billerica (senior night)	2-0 W
Marblehead	1-0 W

Kristina Bove Lauren Bandoian Katie O'Brien

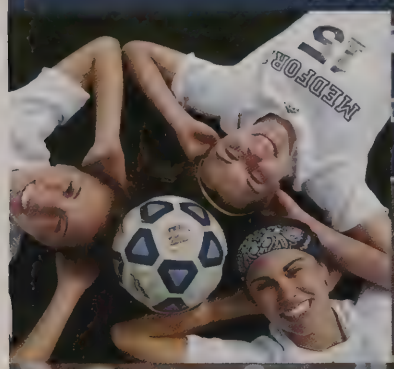
Mustang Sports

Girls' Varsity Soccer

One Game at a Time

For the second year in a row, the Medford Mustangs clinched another GBL Title. However, this year the team made history again. Not only did the Mustangs end their season undefeated in the GBL, they did not give up a single goal all season in conference play. Junior Jackie Pellechia had eight shutouts and was named MVP of the league. The team was lead by senior captains Kristina Bove, Lauren Bandoian, and Katie O'Brien along with seniors - Alisa Vita, Lisa Bandoian, Lindsey Bandoian, Robin Carpenter, Arianna Roach and Deanna Cavallaro. The Mustangs made it to the state tournament for the second consecutive year and proved they were a dynamic team both on and off the field. FSU, Always.

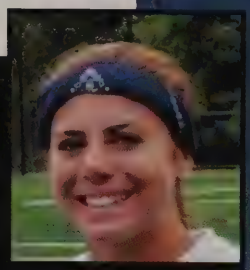
"The Goals are Here"



The Medford Mustangs made it to the state tournament for the second year in a row. Unfortunately, the girls fell short in their first game. They lost to Andover 2-0.

Robin Carpenter Arianna Roche Alisa Vita Lindsey Bandoian Lisa Bandoian Deanna Cavallaro

Captains



"To my soccer family - thanks for an unforgettable season"

"Back to back undefeated champs! Thanks for making my last season one to remember. Love you ladiees!

"I'm going to miss playing soccer with this team. I met some of my best friends and had some of my best times through soccer. I'll miss everyone. P.S Bove don't say Your Mom Jokes in college. FSU forever"

Undefeated

GBL Champs

vs. Malden	1-0
vs. Everett	6-0
vs. Somerville	4-0
vs. Cambridge	4-0
vs. Malden	3-0
vs. Everett	2-0
vs. Somerville	0-0
vs. Cambridge	1-0

MUSTANG FOOTBALL

Mike Montiel
#73

Ronnie Pitterson
#12

Joey D'Alessandro
#37

Malcolm
Alexandre
#50

Captain
Alec Finn
#88

With second-year head coach Rico Dello Iacono at the helm, the 2010 Mustangs worked hard this season as a young team. Facing top power-houses like BC High, Everett, and Barnstable, the Mustangs pushed through week by week. Regardless of the score at the end of each game, the football players kept their spirt alive and set a foundation for the program for years to come.

Captain
Nick Murphy
#40

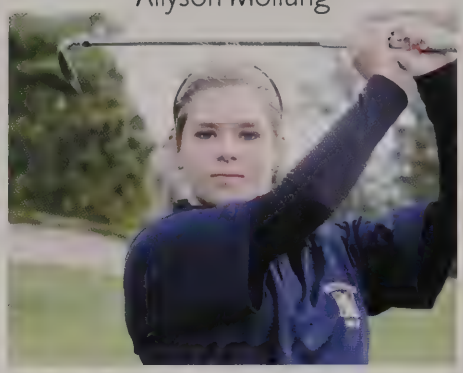
Darius Walker
#62

Chris Buccheri
#91

Irsh Belisaire
#85

Tre Simmons

Maxine Harney



Allyson Mollung

Jimmy Cecchini

GOLF

Members:

CJ Bourque
Ryan O'Rourke
Steve Scire
Maxine Harney
Jimmy Cecchini
Brendon Baker
Eric Fleming
Allyson Mollung
Charlie Chouinard
Adam Gabere
Jack Forcier
Connor Lonergan

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Eric Fleming

Steve Scire

Eighteen holes of match or medal play will teach you more about your foe than will 18 years of dealing with him across a desk.
~Grantland Rice

Achievements:

Steve Scire came in 1st place at GBL tournament

CJ Bourque went to the state-wide tournament.

Steve Scire and CJ Bourque were both GBL All-Stars

This year in cheering, we have had our ups and downs, but we never gave up. The team overcame every obstacle that was placed in front of us. Cheerleading takes hard work and dedication, and our entire team demonstrated this throughout the season. Through everything that had gone on, the team came together and I could not be more proud of the girls. As a cheering team, it takes the work of everyone on the team, not just one person. We worked together,and were successful.

-Captain Jessica Albano

Mustang Cheerleading

Vince Lombardi once said, "The greatest acoomplishment is not in ever falling, but in rising again after you fall." With those words fixed in our minds, the girls' volleyball team faced some strong competition throughout the season, playing top teams in the state such as Brookline and Newton South. Our determination and perseverance fueled one common goal of playing our hardest to win. On and off the court, we held teamwork and commitment in the highest regard.

As a team, we worked together and played with a passion and ambition for a sport we all love - Volleyball.

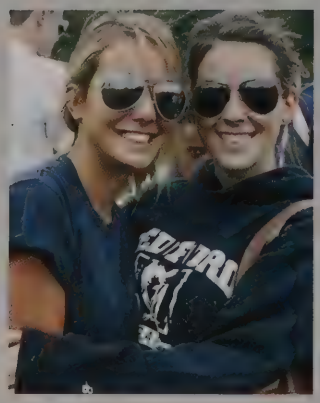
f our minds can conceive it, and our hearts can believe it, we know we can achieve it."

VARSITY VOLLEYBALL

SENIOR CAPTAINS

From left to right: David Cataldo, Ericka Silva, Lynsie Brogan, Jean Perez, and Alisa Hartnett.

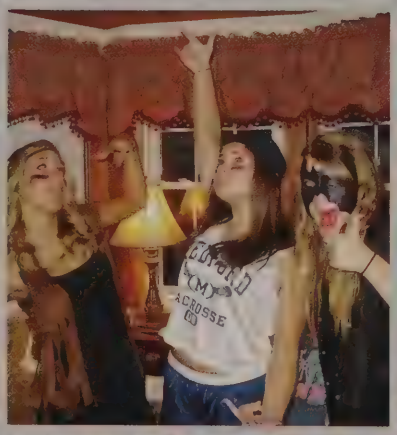
Captains Dave Cataldo & Jean Perez



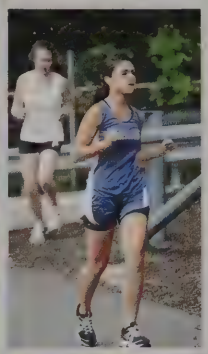
Lady Mustangs

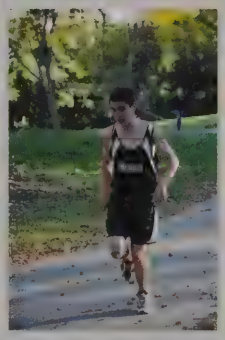
Captains Brogan, Hartnett, and Silva, stand with coach Lou Ruggirio. Coaches Lou and Tom Lynch have shaped them for three years to become captains of the Swamp Donkeys!

CROSS COUNTRY 2011



The girls' cross country team won the GBL Championship in 2008 and held the impressive record of 3-1 for each following year.

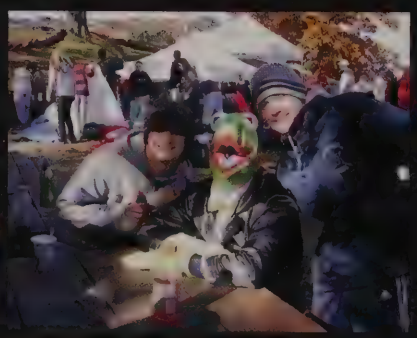




OUR SPORT IS YOUR PUNISHMENT

A Message from the Captains

"This fall season, the Medford High rowing team participated in a few regattas, including MPSRA State Championships and the Head of the Mystic. Coaches Amy Byron and Nate Dias worked on technique, strength, and endurance during this season. Both boys and girls varsity boats cut their times by more than two minutes this season; in rowing time, that is quite a signficant improvement. During the winter, the team had a fudge fundraiser to help raise money for boats, oars, parts, and other necessities for sustaining the team. The future of the Medford High rowing team is bright, and with the spring season right around the corner, the team is looking forward to rowing faster, training harder, and winning more - but most of all working together as a team, as a family."



CREW

Senior Captains:
Gavin Lynch &
Paul Covino

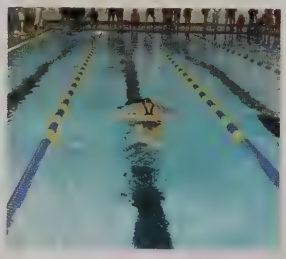
Junior Captains:
Charlotte Kelly &
Karissa Finnegan

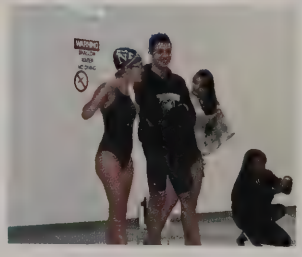
MUSTANGS

Swim Team

Captain Robin Carpenter

"Some people say a large team is better for swimming, but I can say that with merely 15 swimmers, we did just fine. It has been a challenging four years of high school swimming; I couldn't have done it without all of my teammates. The friends I've made and the laughs we've shared have made the whole experience such a pleasure. Everyone calls us crazy for willingly waking up at 4:30am to be at practice at 5:00am, but we call it love. Swimming can be an individual sport, but when you look around and see your teammates, you know that you are really fighting together for the Mustangs. This will always be a season to remember."



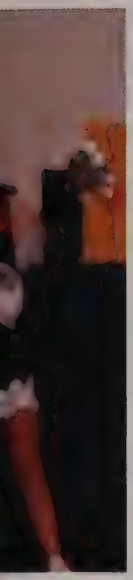


"The team was like a second family. We trained hard every morning and raced strong during each swim meet. To be successful, I had to practice very hard two or three times a day to become a champ. We all worked hard together as a team and I am looking forward to next season." - Jaquison Xavier

Sophomore guard Sean Doncaster penatrating to the hoop in a hard fought effort that led to a victory over GBL rival Everett.

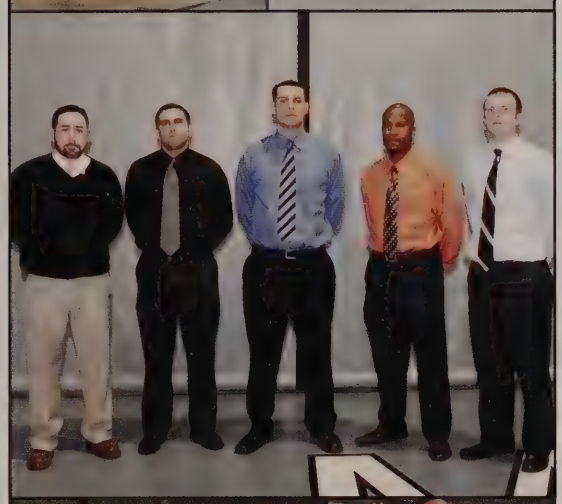
Clockwise from right: Senior guard Danny Gilchrist leading the offense up court, Junior forward Larry Keating battling for a rebound after a free throw attempt, Sophomore guard John Lavoie and Junior guard Maurice Magras playing lock down defense, and Sophomore guard John Pires controlling the offense.

From left to right: Head Coach Faradie, Sean Doncaster, Danny Sullivan, Larry Keating, Alexander de Nijs, Danny Gilchrist, Brendon Dealmeida, Coach White, Coach McMahon, Maurice Magras, Anthony Tortora, John Lavoie, Ian Martin, Seth Bynum, Owen Healey, John Pires, and Rico Altema.



Boys' Varsity Basketball

The boys' basketball team was exciting to watch this year. Their offense was up-tempo, and they were able to thrive in three-point shooting while facing solid Greater Boston League foes.



Above: Senior forward Rico Altema (left) gets ready to sink a free throw, and Junior forward Larry Keating (right) takes a tightly contested jump shot.

Junior Guard Maurice Magras getting ready to take it hard to the net.

Senior Varsity Players Alexander de Nijs, Danny Gilchrist, Danny Sullivan, and Rico Altema

Sophomore Guard John Lavoie driving baseline before taking it hard to the hoop.

"We started off the season not as well as we wanted to, but we have made a comeback by being on a 3-game winning streak. We will not take losing as an answer. We are determined to go all the way."- Maurice Magras

Girls' Varsity Basketball

The girls varsity basketball team had a successful season as they won GBL for the first time in 19 years! Coach Leo Burke encouraged his team to reach their full potential and to "Be a player!" They left a mark at Medford High and showed everyone that they had what it takes to represent our school and make it to the tournament!

"It was a great accomplishment winning the GBL during my senior year, especially since we were undefeated!" -Kasey Moran

"We had a good season. We were determined. And we left everything on the court and that's what made us undefeated."
-Tania Holmes

"The season went well. We have a solid record and we hope to do big things in the tournament."
-Lindsey Bandoian

Back Row (left to right): Coach Burke, Emily Welch, Bianca Nargi, Lydia Regan, Sarah Donnelly, Aleah Ace, Kathryn Ellersick,
Front Row (left to right): Kathleen Callahan, Tania Holmes, Kasey Moran, Lindsey Bandoian, Jacqui Porier

	Home	Away
Georgetown	52	45
Austin Prep	56	42
Dracut	51	40
Waltham	58	47
Winchester	32	50
Everett	70	53
Salem	37	42
Revere	56	66
Somerville	56	50
Cambridge	58	50
Everett	44	42
Georgetown	63	50
Cambridge	59	54
Austin Prep	51	36
Malden	52	46
Revere	27	62
Dracut	43	49

"Thirty-two minutes of mayhem!"

Captains
Denise Palmac
& Kristina Bo

"This season has been one of the best seasons in my MHS hockey career. Everyone came out and played hard this year. We knew we could go far this season with a winning record. This season we had to overcome injuries with Marissa Williams dislocating her shoulder and our Co-Captain Denise Palmacci dislocating her knee. There were also many accomplishments this season with Brittani Lanzilli and I reaching the 100-point mark. We also became GBL champs for the first time and qualified for the State Tournament again! I will miss calling myself a Mustang!"

-Kristina Bove

SENIORS
2011

Kristina Hillis, Denise Palmacci, Kristina Bove, Sarah Moulton

Girls' Hockey

	Us		Them
Cambridge	7	-	2
Wilmington	6	-	1
Chelmsford	4	-	3
Shawsheen	5	-	3
Everett	5	-	2
Beverly	0	-	1
Winthrop	1	-	5
Gardner	5	-	2
Watertown	2	-	3
Watertown	3	-	3
Masconomet	5	-	0
Cambridge	7	-	2
Peabody	8	-	2
Algonquin	5	-	2
Everett	4	-	2
Wilmington	5	-	0
Winthrop	4	-	1

EXIT
HOME TEAM
MUSTANGS
7
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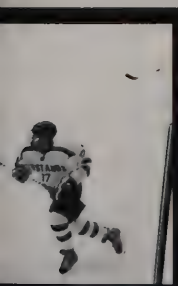
Boys' Hockey

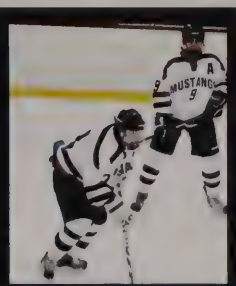
"My experiances playing hockey at Medford High School have changed my life. I have witnessed times of greatness, like beating Woburn in the states in a shoot out, and times when the team really worked together. This is the time in my life that is filled with memories of playing my favorite sport with my best friends, something I will cherish forever. My time being a student-athlete at MHS has impacted me in a way that made me love this class, this school, and this city."

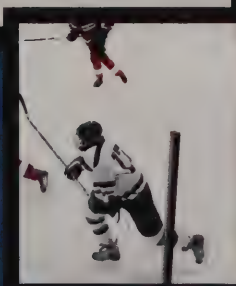
~Captain Mike Gendreau

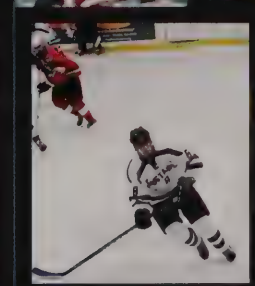
Seniors (Top from left) CJ Borque, Cam Howard, Chris Silva, Nick Lima (Bottom from left to right) Patrick Trainor, Mike Gendreau and Billy Ivy

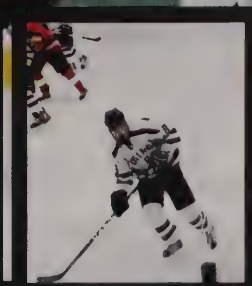
Senior Captains Billy Ivy, Mike Gendreau and Pat Trainor











Indoor Track

The girls' and boys' indoor track teams have both had sucessful seasons. Senior superstar Jean Perez qualified in the 300-meter dash for the state race at Boston's Reggie Lewis Center. He was accompanied by Coach Lynch and fellow teammate Brian Bourne, who ran the 1 mile race. Ariana Fiorello also qualfiied for the state meet, in the 50-meter dash. The girls' team beat Cambridge in a nail-biting victory at the beginning of the season. The meet came down to the 4 by 4 relay race, in which senior Katie O'Brien gained the lead for the first leg. Then senior Lisa Bandoian kept the lead, as Jamie deRosas widened the lead. Finally, sophomore Lauren Walsh finished and won the race as Medford girls cheered. Overall, the boys' and girls' track teams enjoyed great seasons.

Senior track stars John Williams, Malcolm Alexandre, Alec Finn, Evans Gere and Jean Perez

Seniors Lisa Bandoian, Taylor Mason, Kathleen Harding, Madeline Forcier,Katie O'Brien, Deanna Cavallaro and Lynsie Brogan

The girls' one-mile race begins with Lisa Bandoian, Taylor Mason and Amanda Gogeon ready to run.

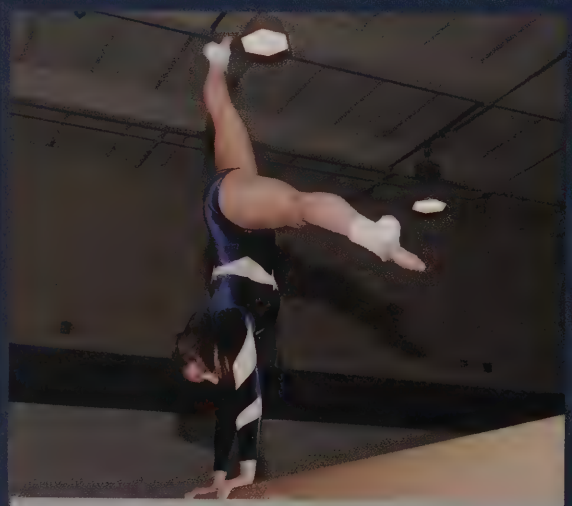
Gymnastics

Captains

Desiree Savoia

Stephanie Falasca

Abe Bencid Sanchez



Junior Stephanie Falasca performs a cartwheel on beam.

Junior Abe Bencid Sanchez completes a handstand on bars.

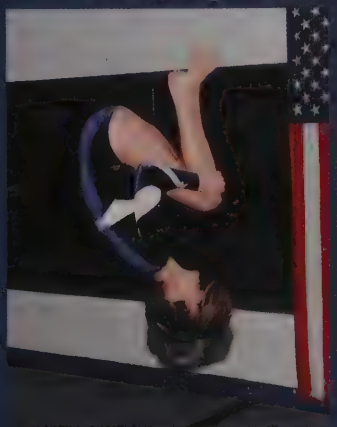
Senior Katherine Kulik won first place in the all around at the GBL's.

2011

Competitors

Katherine Kulik
Stephanie Falasca
Abe Bencid Sanchez
Bianca Silva
Katrina Schaefer
Anna Steel
Desiree Savoia
Clarisse Coughlin

Seniors this year included Thalia Borba, Katherine Kulik, Jenny Labossiere, and Crystal Chandler.



Senior Katherine Kulik completes a back tuck on floor.

Junior Stephanie Falasca performs a wolf jump on beam.

BOYS' LACROSSE

Senior Captain Pat Trainor goes out for a pass.

Senior Dan Cohelo defends the net.

Senior Captain Joao Rosa waits for a pass.

The Mustangs' Boys Lacrosse team was optimistic going into the 2011 season. Following a winning 2010 season and postseason play, the team was confident with second-year head coach Mike Engle at the helm. Having many returning starters and exceptional upcoming talent was a great advantage while facing challenging opponents such as Arlington, Malden Catholic, and Brookline.

The Mustangs Defense discuss a play with Coach Joe Morris.

Senior goal keeper Cam Howard makes another save in net.

Senior Jack Forcier picks up a ground ball.

The boys' lacrosse team celebrates a big victory.

"We came into this as individuals and we leave as a TEAM."

Coach Galusi and the team in Worcester accepting their Sportsmanship Award for the 2010 season.

Kathleen Harding

Taylor Mason

Ericka Silva

Alana Viveiros

Leigh Williams

Michaela Botticelli

"Our team has grown over the last four years, transforming from pretty good to back-to-back league champions. We are still not satisfied with just winning the GBL. Our work ethic and determination will carry us far; couple that with our lacrosse talent, and the future looks bright. On a personal note, these seniors are very special to me. They are the first 'freshmen' team to graduate from our program. They also made history last season, winning the first ever tournament game for MHS; not bad for a bunch of girls from Medford!"

-Coach Galusi

Girls' Varsity Lacrosse

The 2011 season started off rocky with a late start to preseason workouts due to the excessive amount of snow days in January. The late start didn't stop the team from working hard to compete with difficult teams like rivals Central Catholic High School. After winning their first state game ever and the MIAA Sportsmanship Award last season, this year's team had big shoes to fill, stepping onto the new turf field for the first time. The team was led by senior captains Deanna Cavallaro, Katie O'Brien and Mady Forcier, along with seniors Ericka Silva, Taylor Mason, Kathleen Harding, Alana Viveiros, Leigh Williams, and Michaela Botticelli. The seniors, and team, worked hard for a memorable season.

Captain Deanna Cavallaro

"After having been on this team for four years, I know that no previous team has ever been this close. Each year we progressively get better, and I know these girls can achieve anything. Follow your dreams girls, and keep working hard! Love you girls."

Captain Madeline Forcier

"Lacrosse, for me, is more than a team. It is a family. It's a group of girls that all have an indescribable passion for one thing: lacrosse. With the help of an amazing coach and the guidance from each other, we have achieved the unimaginable. I love you girls."

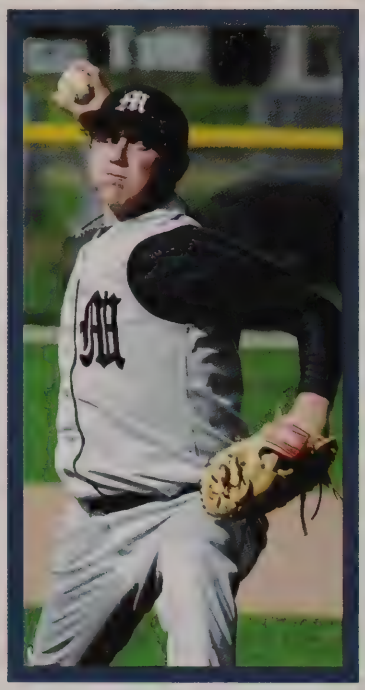
Captain Katie O'Brien

"I am proud to be part of a passionate group of girls that worked hard throughout the season to achieve success. I'm going to miss my lax family, Breanna's Nutella ravioli, and the bond that we've shared. Good luck to my fellow seniors!"

At right: First-year head coach Mike Nestor strategizes as he watches his team from the bench.

Below: Senior captain Thomas Flores taking a few swings at the team's home field Playstead Park.

Senior captain Chris Salvati warms up before a practice.



Senior star pitcher Danny Gilchrist winds up and dels.

Senior captain Thomas Flores steps up to the plate.

"The baseball team has put in countless hours of work to reach the caliber of play we play at. We haven't won a GBL title since 2000 and we're looking forward to competing to reach the goal of winning a championship. As a captain I couldn't ask for a better team."-Captain Thomas Flores

Boys' Baseball

A look at the home field Playstead Park, as the Mustangs begin to prepare for the season ahead. Following a state tournament run last year, they hope to return to their prime this year and shine under the lights as they face a tough Greater Boston League schedule. With a few stars returning, they hope the underclassmen can step up along with the returning players and bring them quickly to midseason form.

Softball

During the 2010 season, our girls' softball team made the state tournament. It could not have been done without the great talent posessed by this team, especially that of our seniors. The 2011 season promised to be as successful as the memorable seasons before!

Captains

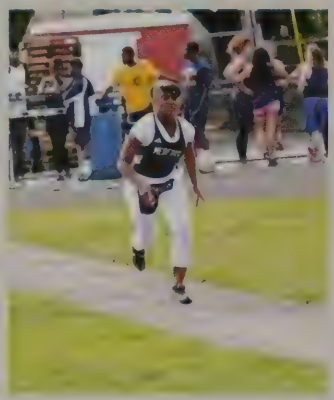
Victoria Luongo

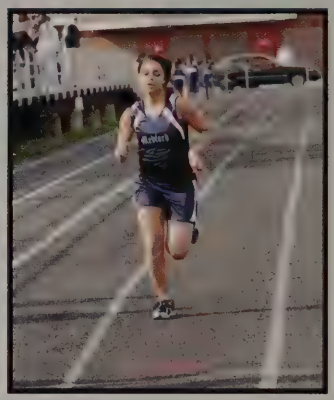
Sarah Moulton

Kristina Bove

Kasey Moran

OUTDOOR TRACK



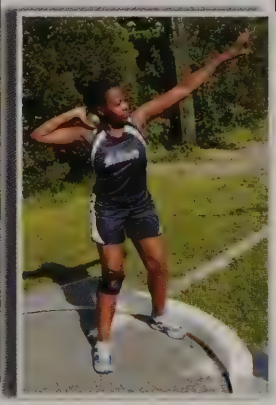


Arianna Fiorello proves a champion at the long-jump.

Some girls from the team with retired submaster and coach Mr. Mascoll.

The track girls get pumped up before a meet.

Lisa Bandoian starts the race against Malden.



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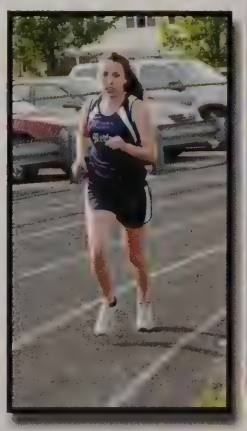
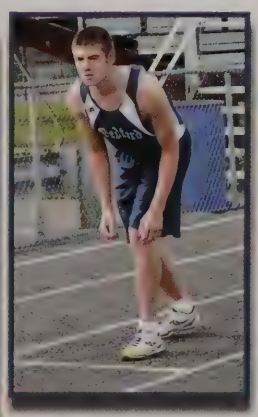
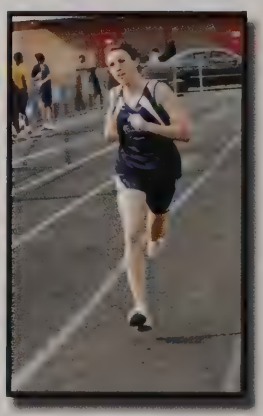
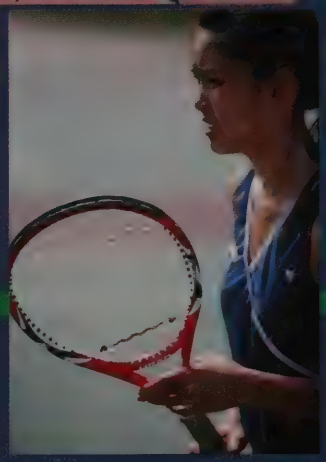








TENNIS

Senior Marcello Cugno focuses on hitting the ball.

This year, the girls' tennis team played another winning season under the leadership of Coach Ellie O'Leary and senior co-captains Emily Nixon and Stephanie Nguyen. After winning the GBL championship in 2010 for the first time in 32 years, the girls spent their 2011 season in pursuit of a second consecutive GBL title.

The boys' tennis team showed tremendous leadership from tri-captains Dan Beemon, Noah Carr, and Anthony Nguyen. Coach Dickens worked hard to get the team ready for another tough season in hopes for a GBL title.

Who are we?

We are the Mustangs *State Tournament Games*

Senior Ericka Silva

Senior Goalie Cam Howard

Senior Captain Kristina Bove

Senior Captain Mike Gendreau

Senior pitcher Danny Gilchrist

Senior Alisa Vita plays hard against Andover

It's Showtime

MHS Band

The MHS Marching Band began its season at Hormel Stadium and ended it at a festival at Six Flags. Throughout the year, the band learned many new pieces and styles of music. The musicians displayed their knowledge of march music in songs such as "On to Victory," skills in classical music in "March and Procession of Bacchus," and pop skills in football game music such as "Bad Romance." The band also excited its audience in both the winter and spring concerts. Meanwhile, the MHS Jazz Band performed such jazz favorites as "Sing, Sing, Sing" and "Take Five." On May 13th, the band attended its first-ever festival at Six Flags, performing the piece "Fanfare for a New Generation." In June the band said goodbye to twenty-one of its seniors at graduation.

"My high school career would have been a lot worse without the band."
-Ian McCourt

Below: Senior Ian McCourt plays the snare drum at the Thanksgiving game.

Below: Sophomore Sarah King an Senior Olems Chrisosthom try to keep warm at the Thanksgiving game.

The band performing at the Thanksgiving Pep Rally

Junior George Leetch, trombone

The Medford High Jazz Band

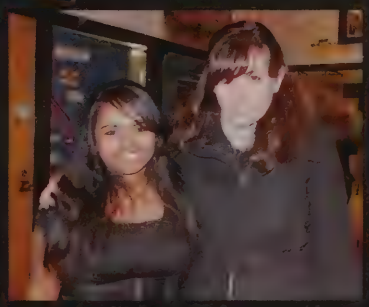
Above:
The band working hard during one of its many Wednesday night rehearsals.

The Band's officers (from left): Ian McCourt, president, Patrick Morey, vice president, James Pham, secretary, Steve DiBlasi, drum major, and Taylor Mason, treasurer

ORCHESTRA

"This year, the orchestra has done an awesome job working hard to prepare for our concerts, especially the final concert in May. With the help of Mr. Szykniej, we have grown and improved in our playing ability."

-Emory Paine



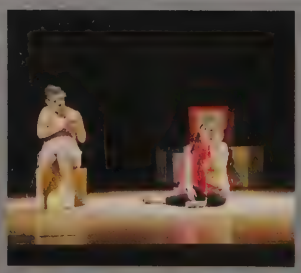
DRAMA

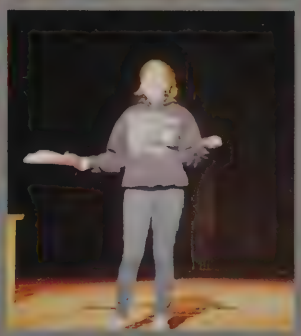
"Drama Club has good-looking, strapping young thespians who have many talents. There are many entertaining aspects in each production and the backstage merriment continues all day, everyday. We always have fun, regardless of the weather, having had more snowdays this year than ever before. "

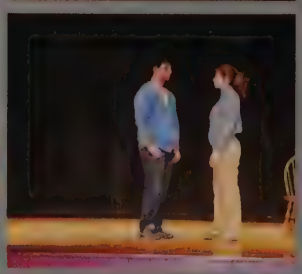
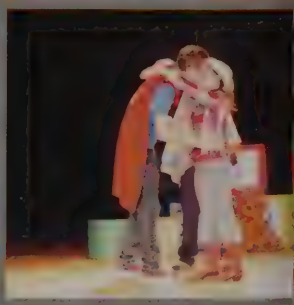
- Kelsey Buckley

The productions put together by the Drama Club are always fun to watch and never let the audience down. The group of students are willing to go above and beyond to put on the best productions - and it shows. With the help of the Medford High Community and its support, the Drama Club has thrived throughout the years.

The One Acts





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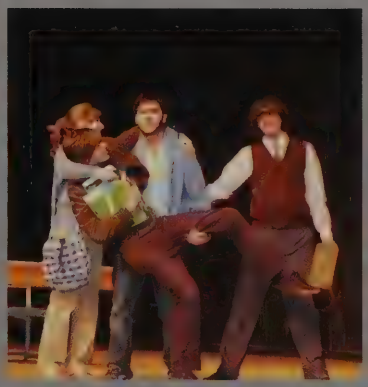
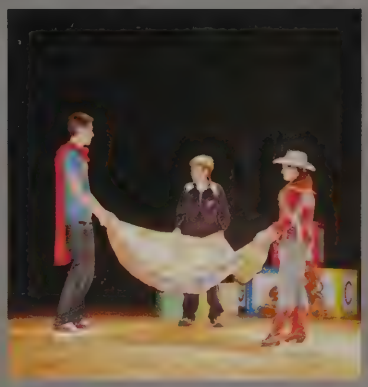
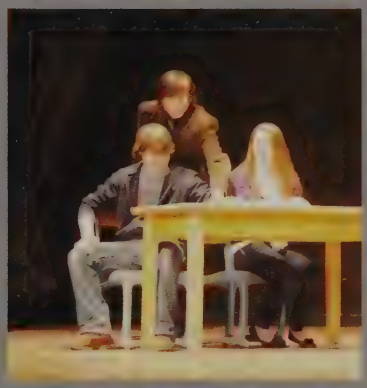


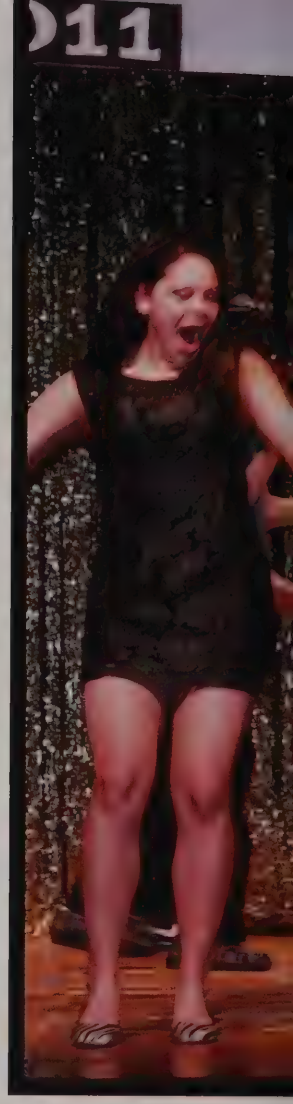




Don't Drink The Water

TALENT SHOW

The Talent Show gave students of all grades the opportunity to come together and celebrate musical diversity. Over the span of one week, the show evolved, and acts like break dancing and the senior band wowed the audience.



1. Pat Trainor beats Mrs. LeClair in a hotdog eating contest for the talent portion of the show.
2.Felipe shows Mrs. LeClair, the "green men" and Kasey the beaver how to "dougie."
3.Pat Trainor and his escort Emily Traniello walk down the runway.
4.Second runner-up Dan Beemon and his escort Katelyn DiBenedetto show off their beauty.
5. Felipe DaCosta and his escort Kelsey Buckley show off their evening wear.
6.Mrs. LeClair and Kasey Moran learn to dougie.
7. Gavin Lynch sings about his breakup with Katy Perry.

Mr. MHS 2011

The annual Mr. MHS pageant is put on by National Honor Society to raise money for a charity of their choice. This year, the proceeds from Mr. MHS went to the children's ward at Mass General Hospital. The Caron Theater was packed with an excited audience anxious to see contestants Patrick Trainor, Felipe DaCosta, Thomas Flores, Joao Rosa,Dan Beemon, Pauly Righini, Gavin Lynch, Michael Montiel, Noah Carr and Marcello Cugno. The show consisted of several competitions, including formal wear, swim wear, questions and answers, and talent. The show was judged by Mr. Ambrose, Mrs. LeClair and Mr. Nascimento and hosted by David McKillop and Emily Nixon. Overall, the show was a success, as a new Mr. MHS was crowned - Gavin Lynch.

1. Dan Beemon shows off his skills by completing a Rubik's Cube in less than two minutes.
2. Thomas Flores shows his talent by picking up ladies.
3. Host Emily Nixon asks Michael Montiel a question.
4.Noah Carr walks the runway in his SCUBA suit.
5.The couple's portion of the competition was an interesting part of the show to see - it showed which couple knew each other best.
6.Mr. MHS 2011 Gavin Lynch poses with runner-up Felipe DaCosta
7.Joao Rosa may have a career in stand-up comedy after making the audience laugh for several minutes.
8.Marcello Cugno and his escort Arianna Roach show off their formal wear.

Make a Change

National Honor Society

President - Felipe DaCosta
Vice President - Joao Rosa
Secretary - Ariana Roche
Treasurer - Katelyn DiBenedetto
Student Counsil Rep - Kelsey Buckley

The National Honor Society is an organization with over 20 students that show their dedication in and out of school. This year, the National Honor Society found various ways to raise money for charity, including a fundraiser at Papa Gino's, Mr. MHS and a cookie decorating station at the holiday festival.

Gay Straight Alliance

The Gay-Straight Alliance is a place where students can be themselves. This year, the GSA has partnered with the Boston University group "Q". They have marched in the Boston Pride Parade, run a coffee house, and provided an anti-bullying assembly for freshmen. They have had a great time organizing and attending the events, and hope it will continue next year!

Asian Club

The Asian Club is a very diverse club, consisting of a majority of Asian American students; however, they also have over twenty-percent non-Asian members.

"A wise man can learn more from a foolish question than a fool can learn from a wise answer."
-Bruce Lee

Officers:

President- Danny Nguyen
Vice-President- Khang Nguyen
Secretary- Jason Trinh
Treasurer- Chris Ridge

Advisor:
Ms. Liu

Science Team

One day on the Tonight Show, Jay Leno showed a classified advertisement that read: "Do you have mole problems? If so, call Avogadro at 602-1023."

The Science Team ranked fifth out of thirty schools in the North Shore Science League. The team battled chemistry, biology and physics with their mastery of stoichiometry, Newton's Laws and Ohm's Law.

Mathletes

The Mathletes consist of a team of several dedicated members who use their math skills to compete in various competitions against other schools.

Student Council

The student council is run by advisor Mr. Cullen and co-presidents Madeline Forcier and Mitaly Lima. The student council works to bring a variety of different events to the students at MHS, including the dodgeball tournament and the Spirit Assembly.

SADD

SADD (Student Against Destructive Decisions) is an organization that works to inform students about the consequences of dangerous decisions. SADD recently distributed a survey to Medford High School students to see how many students use tobacco. The students intend to use these survey results to educate their peers about the dangers of tobacco use.

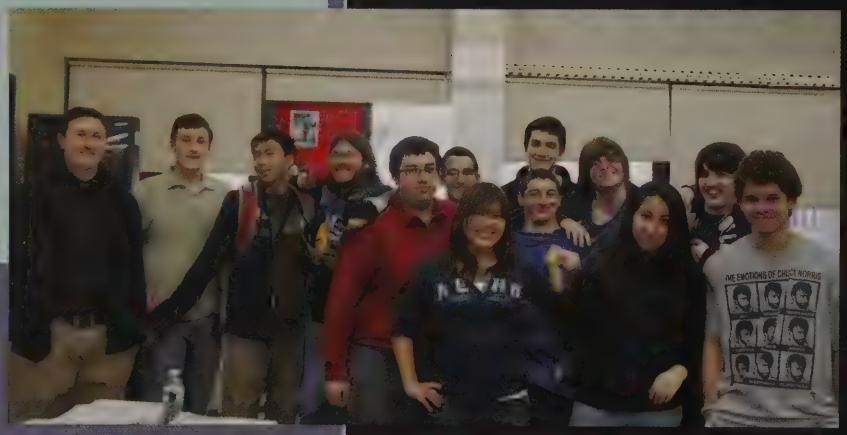
Yearbook

Yearbook consists of over twenty dedicated students that have worked throughout the year to make the yearbook a success.

A special thanks to Mr. Ambrose for his hard work in making the production of the yearbook possible.

Co-Editors:
Ivana Garcia &Katie O'Brien
Advisor: Mr. Ambrose

Writers' Workshop



The Writers' Workshop is a club that allows students the opportunity to express themselves creatively through their writing.

Hispanic Club

The Hispanic Club is an organization that holds meetings to dicuss Spanish culture.

Roots and Shoots

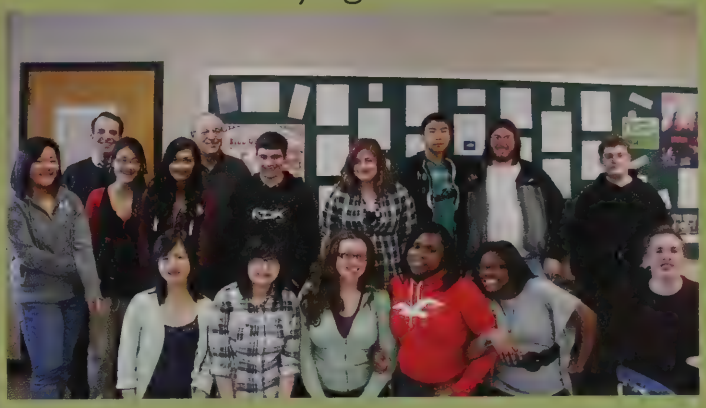
Ms. Carmosino is the advisor for this club of many dilligent students. They work tirelessly to spread awareness about our Earth. They made great strides this year by selliing water bottles to MHS students, reducing waste generated from disposable water bottles.

KEY Club

After a brief hiatus, the Key Club is back! Mr. Tucci advises a group of over a dozen students to help raise funds for charity and put on events for the community!

Mock Trial

The Mock Trial team works on a variety of cases throughout the year to prepare for the mock trial competition. The club is full of aspiring lawyers, goverment officials, and judges.



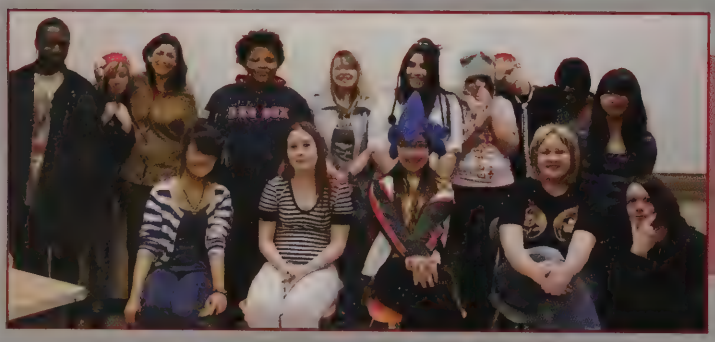
Art Club

The Art Club is a student-run organization that aims to bring about change in Medford High and the community through various creative activities. This year, the Art Club raised money in the Henna Fundraiser held during the Jingle Bell Festival in Medford Square. In effort to raise awareness of Medford High's Core Values, the Art Club also held a contest to determine which student-designed logo best embodies MHS's three core values: collaboration, engagement and personalization. And last but not the least, the Art Club designed a mural that reflects Medford High's core values.

A special thanks to the class officers for making the 80's dance possible!

Mustang News

Medford High School's journalism class produces The Mustang News, an online news source: www.mhsmustangnews.com Advised by Mr. Heinegg, the class produces articles about school news, from trips to Spain to the girls' basketball GBL title run. Seniors who took a leading role in the paper this year include Isaac Bears, Nadya Voitenok, Pat Morey, Brian Burgess, and Kaylah Smith. Wherein the past there was an editor, this year's staff worked together without titles, covering the news as it came in, according to interest level and knowledge of the particular events. The result was a consistently engaging, informative paper that highlighted many of the outstanding accomplishments of the student body, as well as the various movies, books, and restaurants of interest in the area.



Anime Club "Because reality is overrated"

This group of young individuals participate in watching various animes, and focuses on fundraising for those who wish to involve themselves more in-depth with the anime-loving culture.

Italian Club

The Italian club is a club that discusses the beautiful Italian language and heritage. They work to spread Italian knowledge throughout the halls of MHS by putting on events such as- movie nights.

Interact Club

Officers
- President: Crystal Chandler
- Vice President: Katherine Kuilik
- Secretary: Lauren Condelli
- Treasurer: Kimberly Ellis

Board Members
- Davielle Pierrette
- Jennifer E Silva
- Ariana Fiorello
- Fredericka D. Azor

Advisors
- Ms.Boardman & Ms.Glacier

Interact Club, formerly known as the Ambassadors to Change (A.T.C.) is a student-run club at MHS. This club is one that dedicates much time and effort into actively performing community service, art, and unity projects within Medford High school and the community through monthly themes such as Hope, Origins, and Compassion. Each member has an equal opportunity to provide his/her own input about the topic at hand, which has allowed this group to pull of projects such as Pennies for Polio, Take a teacher to lunch, Post Secret, annual ice skating, caroling at Lawrence Memorial Hospital, and Cup of Compassion lunch with the senior citizens at a local nursing home.

[B-Boy Club]

The B-Boy club is a new club that works to help students increase their confidence by learning how to breakdance. The goal of the club is to allow students to develop new methods of thinking and being able to apply what they learn on the dance floor and into their lives. Ultimately, the club aims to unite all students through a universal language of expression through dance.

French Club

The French Club works with a variety of different members to recognize French Culture in the halls of MHS.

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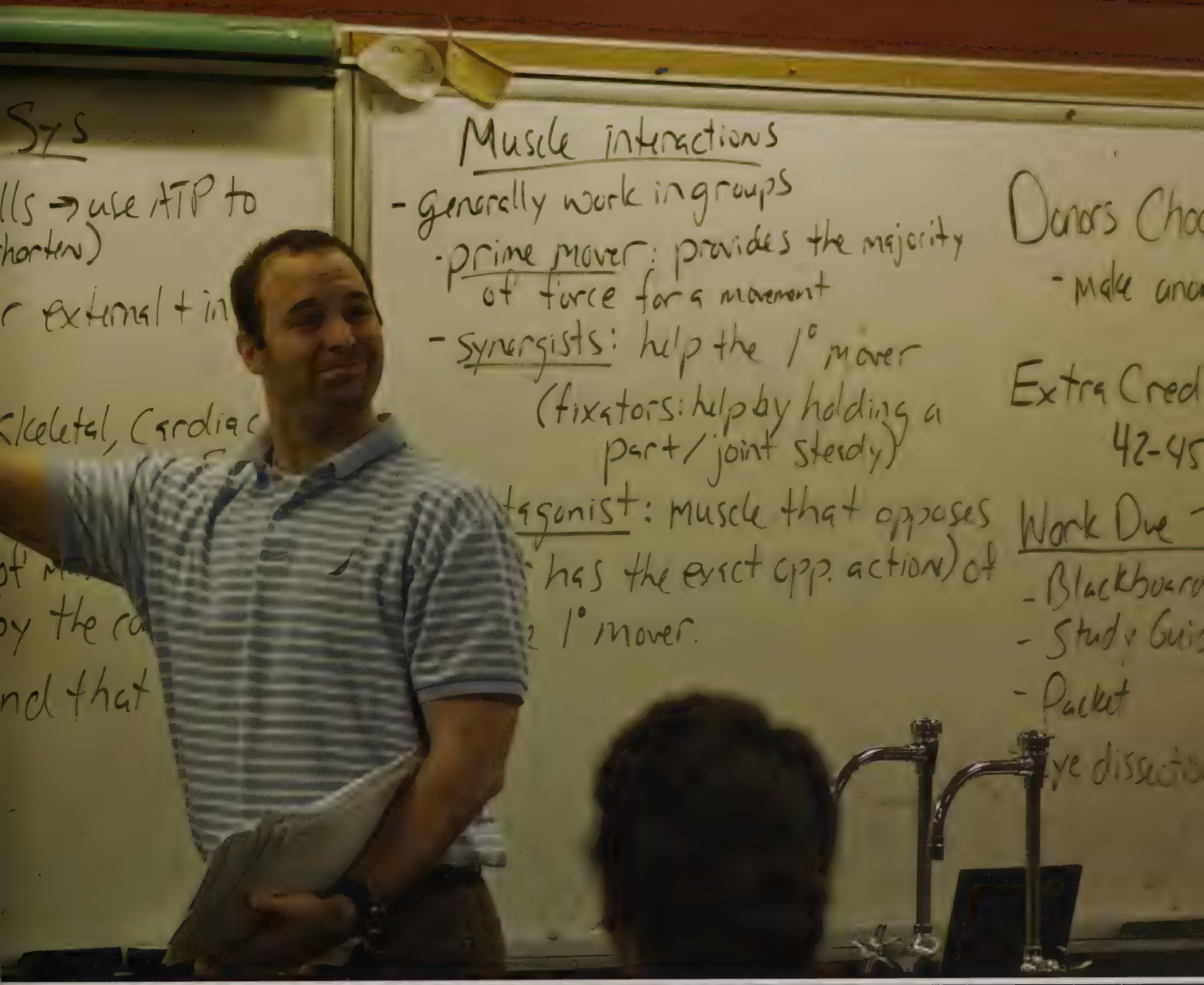


Clockwise

Medford High School Faculty

Math Department

Science Department

English Department

Social Studies Department

MHS Faculty

Guidance Department

The History Teachers:
"They're very enthusiastic about their subject, and they're all very close to each other."
-Deanna Cavallaro

The English Teachers:
"All four years I have had superb English teachers, which is pretty uncommon throughout most high schools."
-Patrick Morey

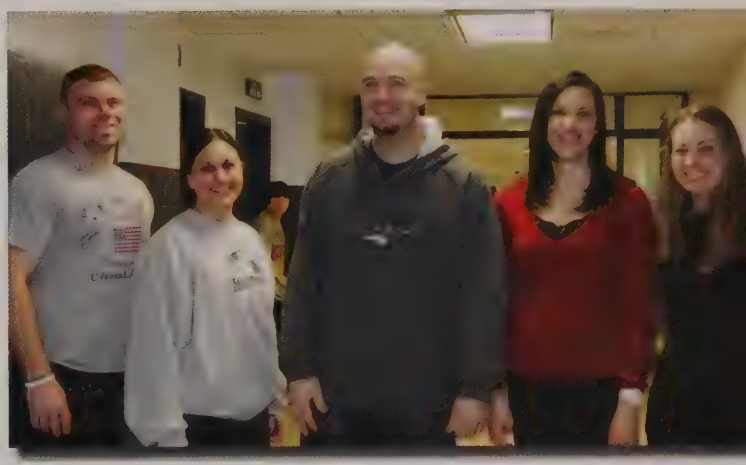
The Devoted Administration

The Math Teachers:
"Dilligent, determined, and devoted, these teachers have created a realm of applicable knowledge that has propelled us through ou high school carreers and into our futures."
-Divya Sahore, Victoria Luongo

ELL Department

Library Staff

Foreign Language Department



Physical Education Department

Special Education Department

Fine Arts Department

The Science Teachers:
"All of the science teachers are excellent at passing on their knowledge to the students in their own way. They're always there when you need them and we're lucky to have them."
-Yuna Farrah

The Art Teachers:
"All of our art teachers give us their best effort and show us the way without leaving us behind. They always make sure that everyone has something to show for their efforts."
-Kaylah Smith

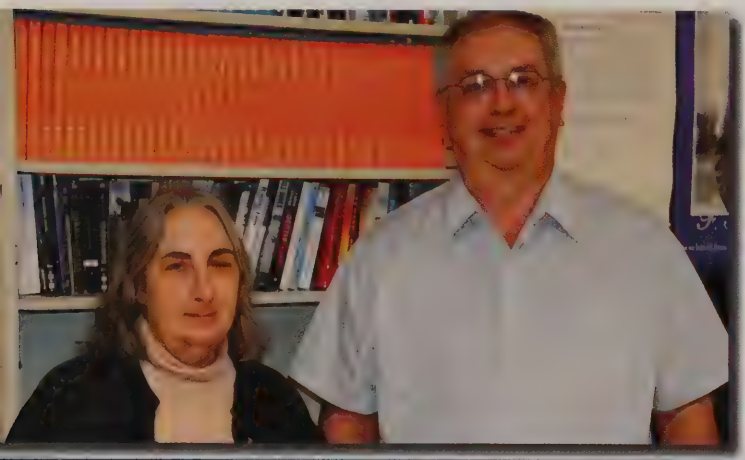
Music Department

Ms. Nelson, Mr. Brown, Mrs. McGinnis (English Department)

Shop Teachers

Ms. Holland, Ms. Bocko (Science Department)

Mr. Volmer (History Department)



Ms. Ruttstein, Mr. Campbell (Math Department)

Mr. Mahoney (Director), Mrs. Glencross (secretary), Mr. Durney (Vice principal)

Voke Faculty

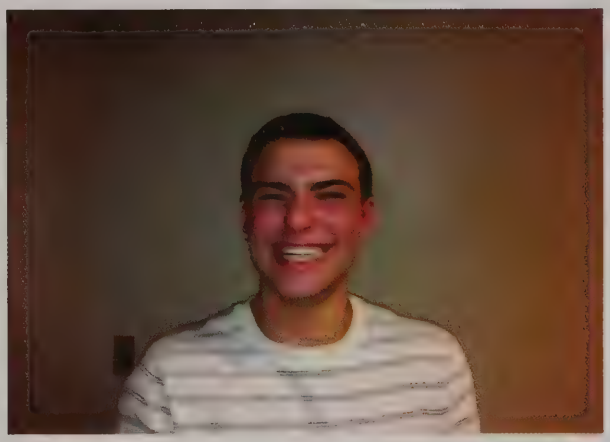
Special Education Department

Ms. Fitzpatrick, Ms. Sawyer (Guidance)

Baby & Business Ads

Nico Vita

I knew you would make it!
I always got ya back, champ!
Love, Dad



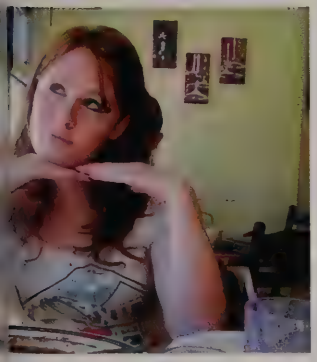
Hannah Josephine Jacques

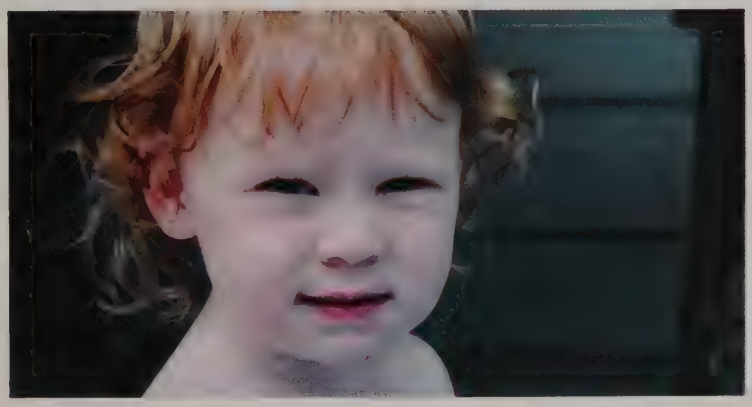
"Every new beginning comes from some other beginning's end."

You have made us all infinitely proud, Hannah! May your future be filled with "curiouser and curiouser" adventures.

Love you all the days, Mom, Dad, Liam, Niamh, Nana, all the Kellys, Geraghtys, Lavignes, and the Jacqueses.

Onward and upward!





Congratulations Debbie!

Congratulations Deb, we are so proud of you! We know that you will be extremely successful in all you do, and we will be right beside you every step of the way.

Love,
Mom, Dad & Vin

Mikayla McGoff

Best of luck Mikayla McGoff
We are proud of who you are, how independent you have become, and what a great future you have in store for you! Congratulations!! Love Mom and Dad

Gina DiStefano

Gina,
Congratulations! We are so proud of you. Keep up the hard work.

We love you!
Dad, Mom, Carla, Mimi and Papa

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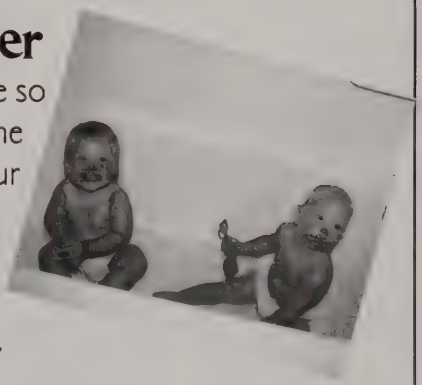
Madeline & Jack Forcier

Jack and Madeline, we are so proud of both of you. The future is yours, follow your dreams. We love you!

Love, Mom & Dad
God Bless.



Billy Russell

Congratulations!
You made it!
We are proud of you!

Love,
Mom & Dad

Katie O'Brien

Dear Katie,
We are so proud of the young woman that you have become. It has been a joy to watch you grow from the toddler that wanted to do things her way to the young woman who is not afraid to do things her way. We can't wait to see what happens next....
Love,
Mom, Dad, Shaun, Paul, and Hannah

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Natasha & Natalia Boos

Dear Natasha and Natalia,

Where has the time gone? We wish you both the best of luck, as you graduate and journey into the next phase of your lives. Both of you have made us very proud, not only in all of your efforts, but we are proud of the persons you are. You are both special and precious to us. We love you so, and we wish you both the absolute best that life has to offer. Remember the words from our favorite story book, the words will always ring true.

"I'll like you for always, as long as I'm living, my baby you will be."

Love You Always and Forever,
Mom and Dad and Alex

Spain Trip 2011

Thanks to Mrs. Lepore, Mrs. Camara, Mr. Skorker, and Mrs. Bowler, a group of 26 students had the chance to visit Spain. They visited Madrid, Segovia, Grenada, Toledo, Cordoba, Seville, and Costa del Sol. The group got to see beautiful mountains and sights all around Spain. They had the chance to see Real Madrid play, to go to a dance, and to see different historical places. Many of the students formed lasting friendships with students they hadn't even talked to before. All in all, it was a trip that they will never forget.

Italy Trip 2011

During February vacation, Mrs. DiCarlo took a group o f students on a trip to Italy. They visited Rome, Florence, and Sorrento. They had the opportunity to see such historical sites as the Colesseum and the Treve Fountain. The students got the chance to go dancing and to visit a school. Two other schools accompanied them, and they made new friends and had a great time!

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Christopher!
The person you are today is a remarkable one. You have worked so hard. Keep smiling, go for your goals.
Love you always,
Mom, Dad, Anthony, and Patrice

JessicaAlbano

Time flies much too quickly.
It seems like just yesterday you were starting school, and now look at you - graduating and getting ready for college. We are so proud of all you've accomplished and hope you continue to follow your dreams and soar with the eagles.

Love you, Mom, Dad, Jamie, Joey, & Justin

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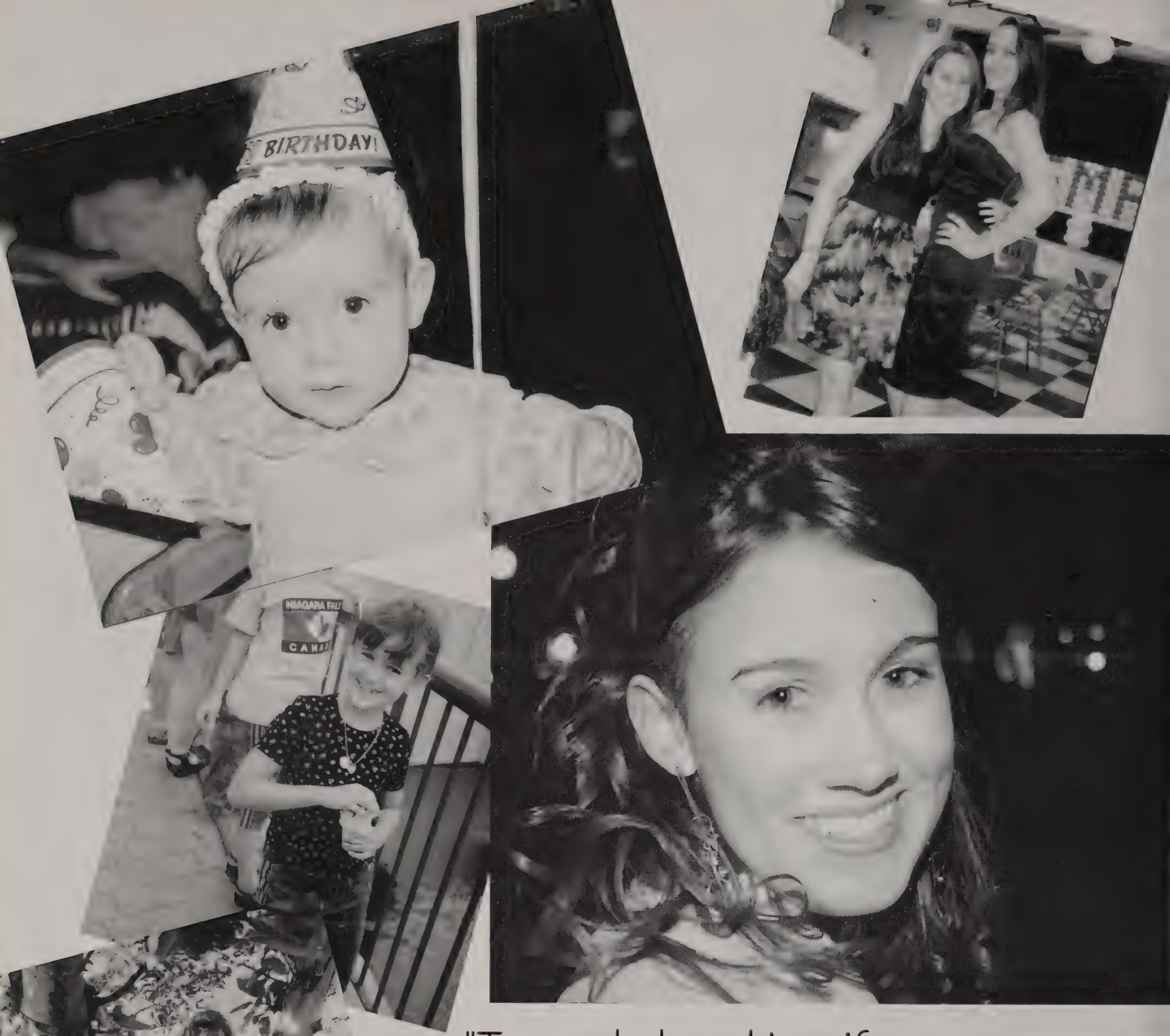
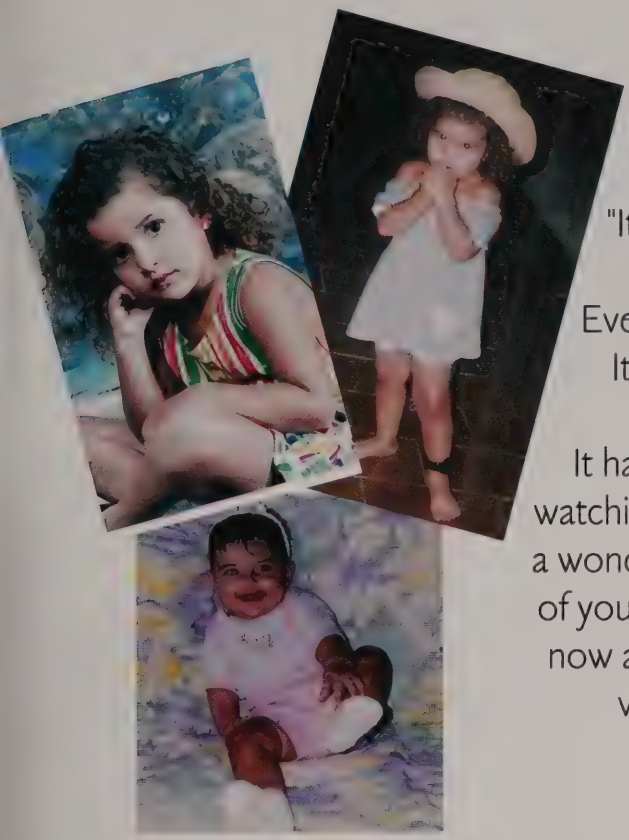


"To our beloved Jennifer,
The beauty of creation reflects
the infinite beauty of the creator."

We are so proud of you!
Love Always,
Mom, Dad, & Jessika

Jennifer E Silva

Thalia Bia Borba



"It's time to trust your instincts,
close your eyes and leap!
Everyone deserves a chance to fly,
It's time to try defying gravity."

It has been an incredible experience watching you grow up and become such a wonderful person. We're so very proud of you, Thalia and we hope you're happy now and in the future. You deserve the very best that life has to offer.

With all our love,
Mom, Dad, Drinha & Victor

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Brian Joseph Burgess

The places you'll go are finally here. Now you're a young man making his way in life's new adventure of wonderful things. But you'll always be our sweet little boy who we hold dear to our hearts. Love, Mom, Dad & The B-Boys

Renata Kleifgen

Congratulations, Renata!

Love, Mom, Dad, and Carl

Lauren Moore

Lauren,

The years have passed so quickly! We are so proud of the person you have become. Keep smiling!

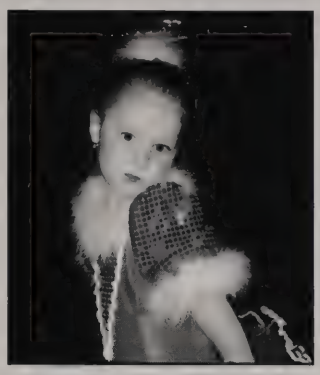
Love, Mom, Dad, Kristin, Jake and Audrey

Nick Alberino

Nicky,
You made it! We are so proud of all you've done and we know great things are waiting for you. Always believe in who you are and what you want to accomplish. We love you!
Love,
Dad, Mom, Matt & Abby

LEIGH WILLIAMS

IT'S BEEN A PLEASURE TO WATCH YOU GROW INTO A BEAUTIFUL PERSON. GO OUT AND FOLLOW YOUR DREAMS!
LOVE, DAD, MOM, PAT & DAN

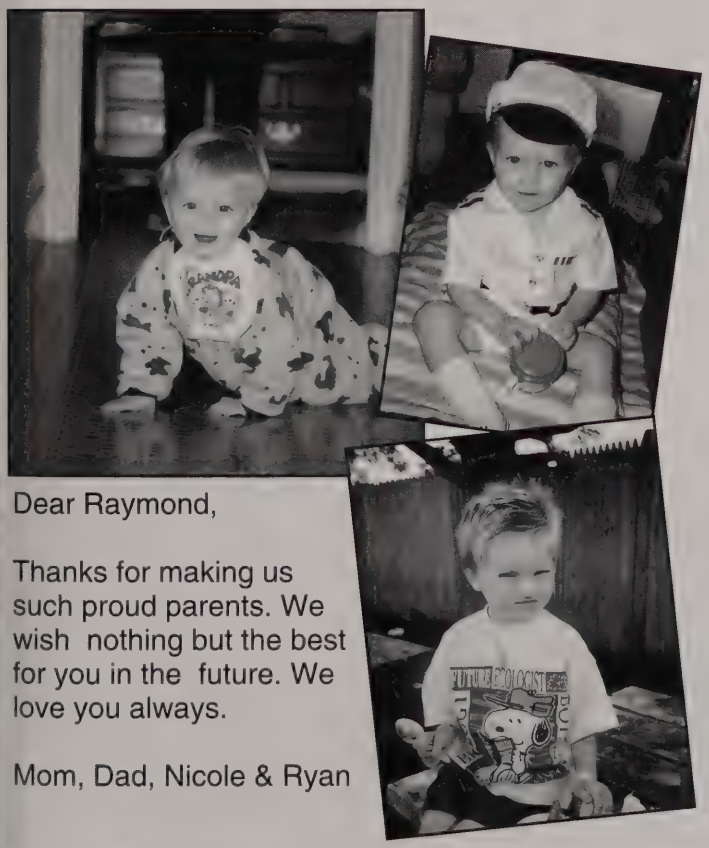


MATTHEW MCCONNELL

Congratulations,
Matthew, on a great year.
We are so proud of you.

Love always,
Mom, Dad, Shaun and Ryan

RAYMOND PEDRICK



Dear Raymond,

Thanks for making us such proud parents. We wish nothing but the best for you in the future. We love you always.

Mom, Dad, Nicole & Ryan

Lisa, Lauren, & Lindsey Bandoian

Always remember - Never forget:
We are here for you now and forever.
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DEANNA CAVALLARO

Deanna, You've grown from our little Petunia into a talented, intelligent, lovely young lady, and we're incredibly proud of you! Believe in yourself and all that you are capable of, and with that, all of your dreams will come true!
We love you! Mom, Dad, Paul & Brett

Matthew Robert Giaimo

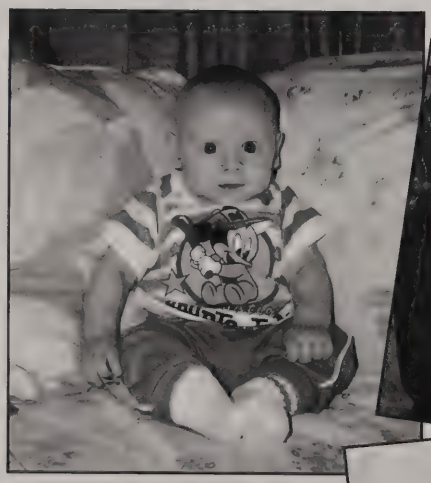
We are so proud of you.
May the years ahead of
you fill your life with health
and happiness.

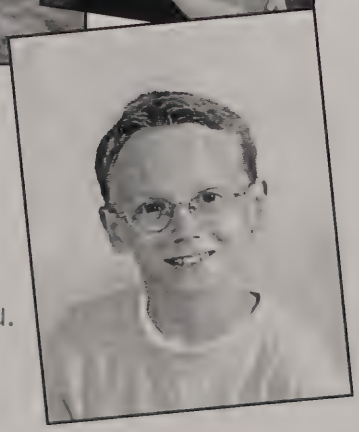
Go follow
your dreams.
Stay true to yourself.

Congratulations!!!!!

We love you,
Mom, Dad,
Danielle, Michael
& Christopher

Maxwell Liner





Maxwell,
Life is a great big
canvas. Throw all the
paint on it you can.
We are so proud of you.
Love, Mom and Dad

Eric Fleming

We are so proud
of you and love
you very much.

Love,
Dad, Mom,
Stephanie, Andrew,
and Matthew

William Ivey

We are proud of all
your accomplishments
and what a wonderful
young man you've
become! Can't wait to
watch you graduate!

We love you!
Love, Mom & Dad

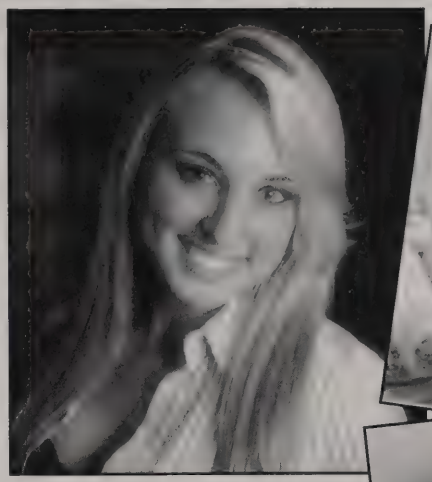
Ashley LeBert

Ashley,

We are so proud of what you have accomplished. You have grown from our sweet "Petuniabug" into a kind and caring young woman. You have a lot to offer. Believe in yourself. We do. The future is what you make of it.

Love Always,
Mom and Dad

Alana Viveiros



Alana, you are completing a wonderful journey and we are so proud of you and all that you have accomplished.
Reach for the stars and you will find your dreams.
Love Always, Mom and Dad

Alisa Marie Vita

So proud of the young lady you have become.

You accomplished so many obstacles along your elementary school years. So proud of you. All of our dreams can come true if we have the courage to pursue them.

Remember who you are and stay true to yourself. I love you.

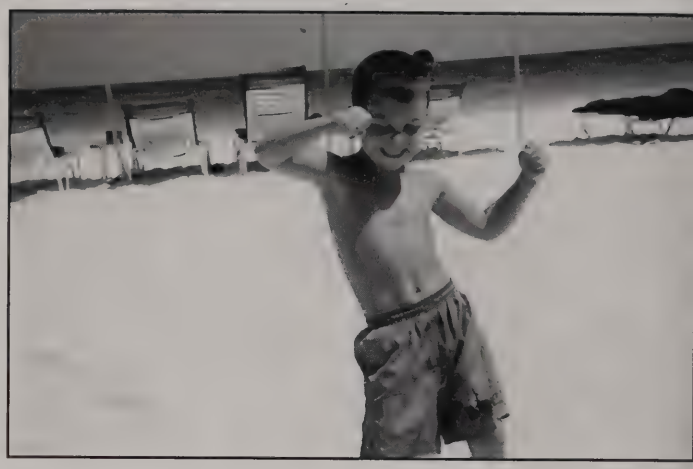
Love, Mom

Dorothy T. Orlando

Dream Big
Reach for the Stars and
Set Your Standards High
And Remember You're
Amazing Just the
Way You Are!

Love You Always,
Mom and Dad

Stephen Scire



Find your Passion!
Work Hard!
...And everyday will be a day at the beach.

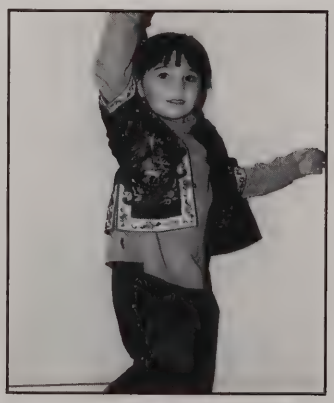
Love,
Mom, Dad, Jessica, Kayla and Chloe

Caitlyn Levine

Congratulations!
We are so proud of you,
good luck at college!

Love,
Mamma, Dad and Aidan

Emily Nixon



Congratulations, Emily!

We are so
proud to be your
Mom and Dad.
Jeanne Carol &
Kevin Nixon

Michaela Botticelli

Michaela,
we hope you
realize your
life is truly your
life...it belongs to
you. It is your story
to write with love.
Day by day, line by
line, write it well.

With all our love,
Mom, Dad & Peter

Ari R. and Robin C.

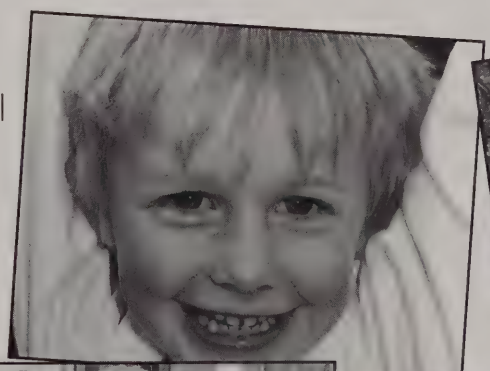
Ari and Robin, Best Friends Forever!
We love you both, Congratulations on your Graduation.

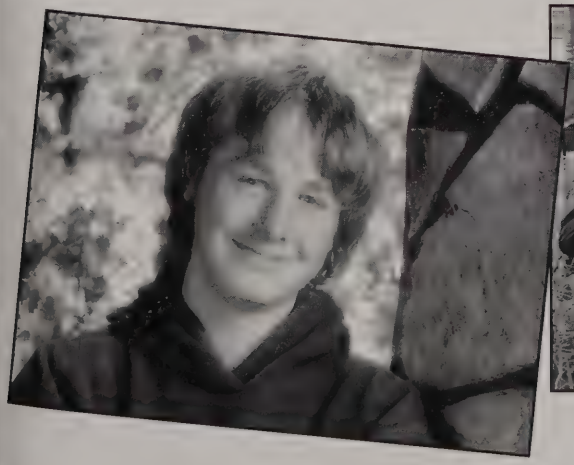
Mom, Dad, Charles and Kaleigh
Mom, Dad, and Helen

Emory Stephen Paine

Congratulations, Emory!
We are very proud of your life's accomplishments, especially with the special challenges you have faced. We look forward to having you develop your full potential in college and in your adult life!

Love, Mom, Dad, Natalie and Nathan





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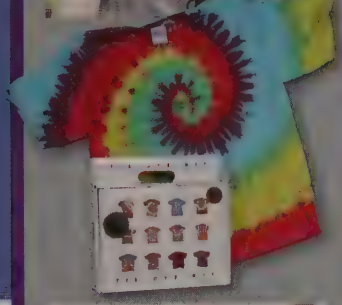

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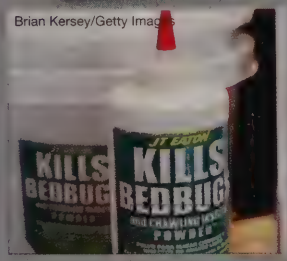

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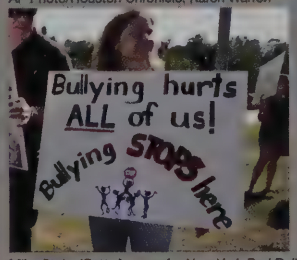

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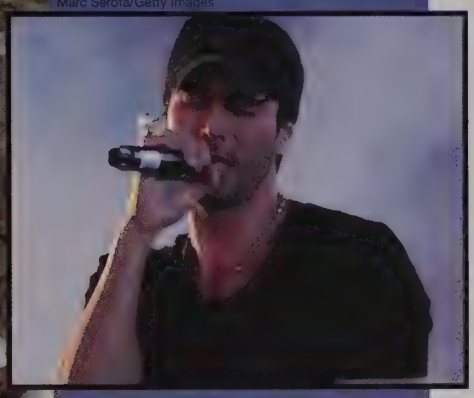

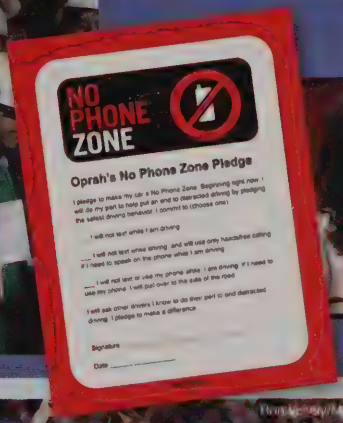

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Anti-bullying Efforts

The federal government takes steps to prevent bullying in schools and communities. To make information accessible, a steering committee develops BullyingInfo.org.

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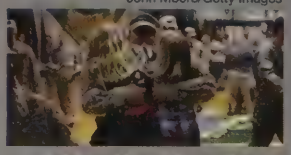

Soldiers Home from Iraq

This soldier, from the U.S. Army 4th Infantry, returns home to Colorado as a result of President Obama's directive to reduce our troops in Iraq.

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Rep. Gabrielle Giffords

After a nearly fatal gunshot wound, Representative Gabrielle Giffords continues her difficult recovery.

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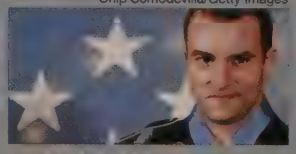

Medal of Honor

Staff Sergeant Salvatore Giunta, a 25-year-old Army staff sergeant who served in Afghanistan, is the first living recipient of the Medal of Honor since 1976.

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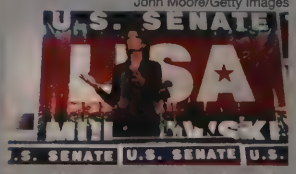

Alaska Senator Re-elected

Alaska Senator Lisa Murkowski is re-elected as a write-in candidate.

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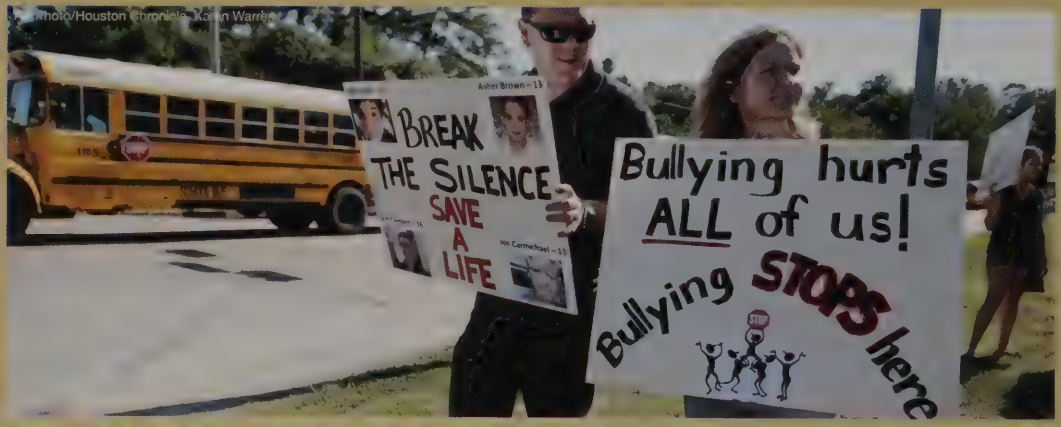

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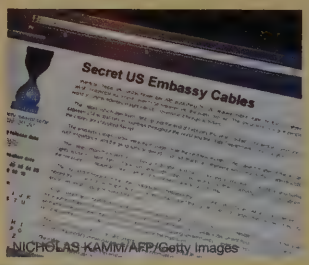
President Obama signs the Executive Order on the White House Initiative on Educational Excellence for Hispanics to support education issues in the Hispanic community.



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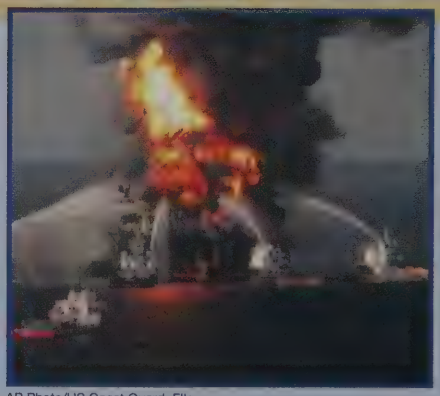
WikiLeaks/Diplomats

The U.S. government is compromised when Julian Assange's WikiLeaks website publishes sensitive diplomatic cables discussing Pakistan, North Korea, Iran and China.

The Oil Spill

A BP oil rig explosion triggers the biggest oil spill in U.S. history, releasing more than one hundred million gallons into the Gulf of Mexico.

Not long after North Korean leader Kim Jong Il fires at the South Korean island of Yeonpyeong, he names his youngest son as his successor.



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Individuals and businesses affected by the Deepwater Horizon oil spill submit official claims for costs and damages with the Gulf Coast Claims Facility.

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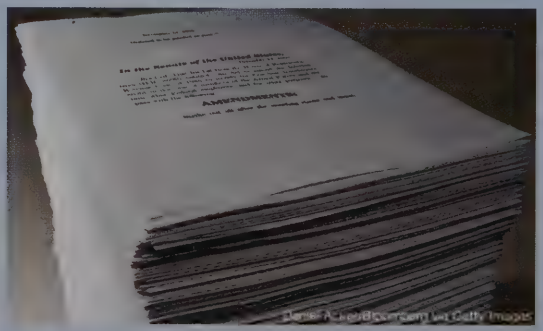

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President Obama signs H.R. 3590, the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act. The 2,400-page law is aimed at improving health care coverage and lowering costs.

Bedbugs

Bedbug infestations, once almost eradicated in the U.S., are a growing nuisance in hotels, stores, office buildings and homes in all 50 states.

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Republicans regain control of the House of Representatives in the midterm elections. Representative John Boehner of Ohio becomes the 61st Speaker of the House.

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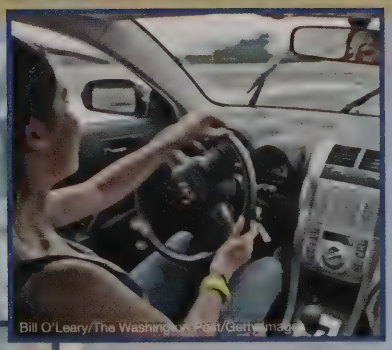
Despite attempted Thanksgiving holiday protests, airports across the U.S. implement full body scanners to screen airline passengers for possible weapons and explosives.



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Teen Driver Fatal Crashes Drop

Teen driver fatalities decrease, thanks in part to graduated driver licensing (GDL) programs. Motor vehicle crashes remain the leading cause of death for teens.

To promote healthy family habits, First Lady Michelle Obama appears in multimedia Public Service Announcements with Disney Channel stars for Disney Magic of Healthy Living.

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Miners Rescued

The world celebrates as 33 miners from Chile's San Jose Copper-Gold mine are safely rescued after spending two months trapped 700 meters underground.

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Happy Meals

A new law aimed at fast food marketing in San Francisco requires that kids' meals meet nutritional standards before they can be sold with toys.

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General Motors

Emerging from bankruptcy, General Motors is profitable again. The company raises $20.1 billion in the largest global initial public offering (IPO) in U.S. history.

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Egyptian President resigns

After protests in favor of democracy peaked in the streets of Cairo, Egyptian President Hosni Mubarek steps down.

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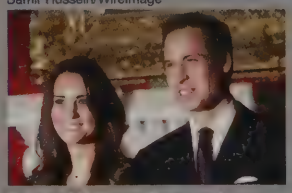

Prince William Engaged

Britain's Prince William and Kate Middleton announce their engagement in November 2010. They plan to marry in 2011.

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Lead in Reusable Bags

A U.S. senator asks the government to investigate when reusable grocery bags sold by a Florida supermarket chain contain harmfully high levels of lead.

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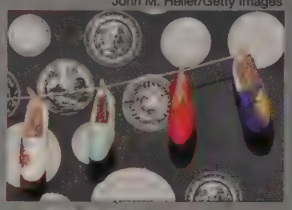
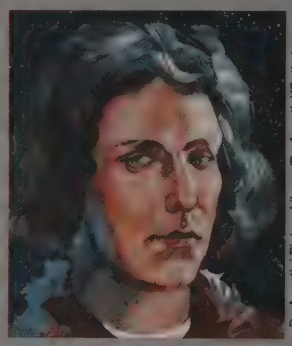


TOMS Shoes

TOMS Shoes, which donates one pair to a child in need for every pair sold, becomes a philanthropic fashion phenomenon.



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A New Element

A new element, discovered in 1996, finally receives its official name: Copernicum. It is named in honor of Copernicus, the Renaissance mathematician and astronomer.

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New Life Form

NASA-funded astrobiology researchers discover a new life form, a bacterium that can use the toxic chemical arsenic as fuel for growing and rebuilding itself.

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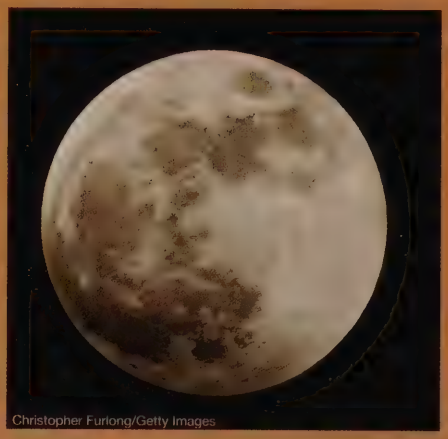

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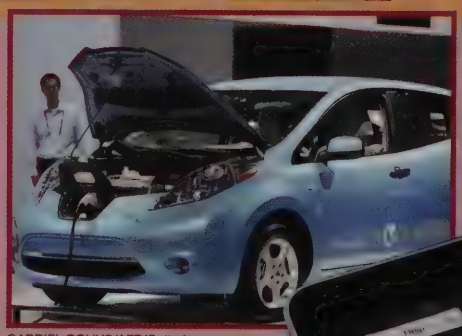
NASA's Lunar Crater Observation and Sensing Satellite finds water in a polar crater on the moon. There is far more water than scientists expected.

Fruit Fly

Researchers using fruit flies to study human obesity have found that obese flies have many of the same problems as obese people, including high cholesterol and difficulty regulating insulin.

Electric Car

Nissan introduces the Leaf, an electric car. According to the official EPA sticker, the car achieves the equivalent of 99 miles per gallon.



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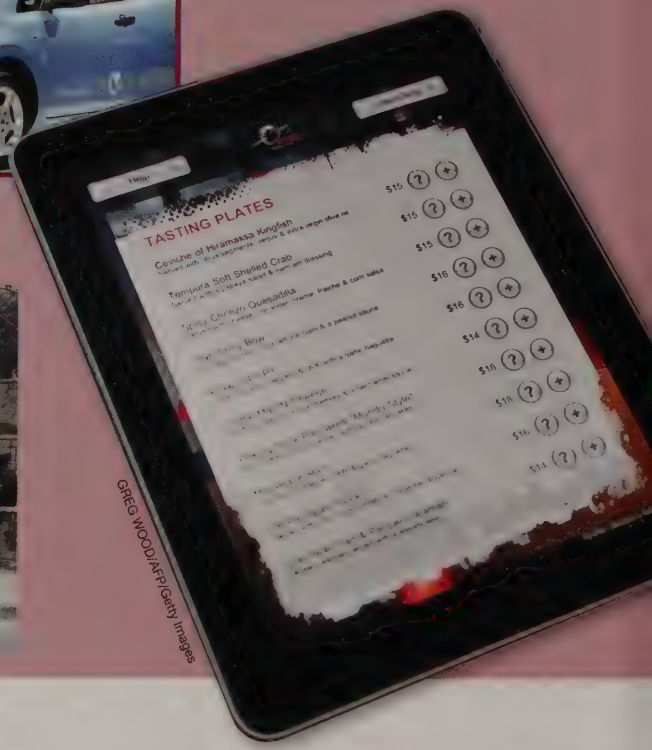
A Nielsen survey reports that the Apple iPad is the most-wished-for holiday gift among pre-teens. Thirty-one percent of kids want one.



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The economic downturn continues to affect school districts across the nation, forcing many schools to close due to budget cuts.

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Comet

NASA's EPOXI Mission shows amazing images of comet Hartley 2, 23 million miles away from Earth, in November 2010.

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The NBA and WNBA promote Vaccines for Teens, an awareness campaign designed to educate teens and parents about the importance of vaccinations.

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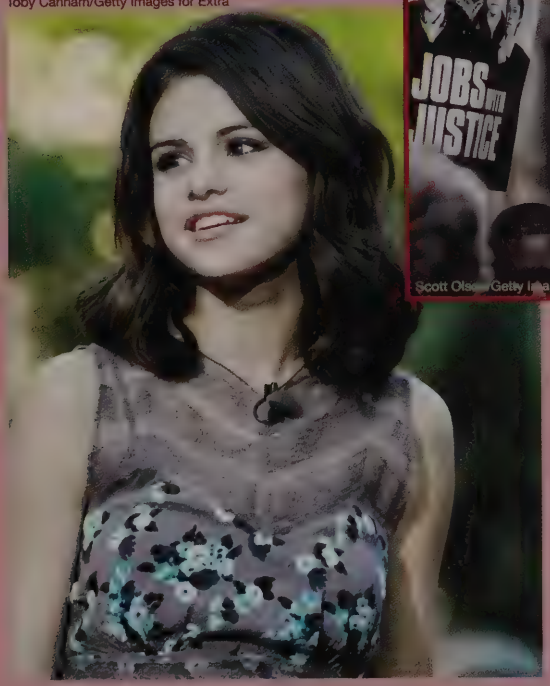
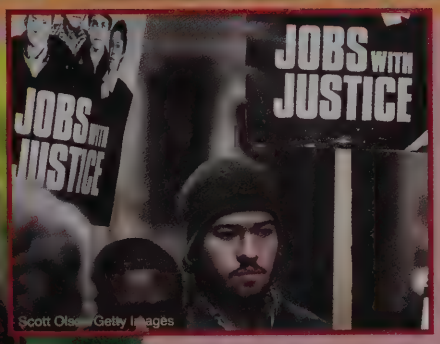


Actress and singer Selena Gomez, age 18, serves as the spokesperson for UNICEF's trick-or-treat campaign. She is the organization's youngest goodwill ambassador



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Disappointing Job Growth

Despite optimistic economic news, including better-than-expected holiday shopping numbers, job growth is still slow, according to the Department of Labor.

No more searching your car for quarters! Cities from coast to coast are installing solar-powered, WIFI-enabled parking meters that can accept credit cards.

AP Photo/The Canadian Press, Jonathan Hayward

Wind Power

Wind turbines become more prevalent. The emergence of "wind farms" signals the beginning of what could be a wind energy boom.

AP Photo/Zina Deretsky, National Science Foundation

Earth's Axis Shifts

An 8.8 magnitude earthquake in Chile shifts our planet's axis by about three inches and shortens the Earth day by 1.26 millionths of a second.

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Fracking

The Environmental Protection Agency investigates how to manage and regulate fracking, a process used to release the natural gas trapped under dense rock.

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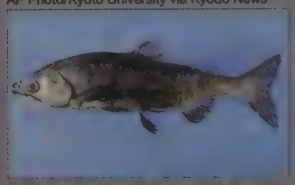

Extinct Salmon Found Alive

The black kokanee, a species of freshwater salmon thought to be extinct for 70 years, is found living in a lake near Japan's Mount Fuji.

SPORTS SPORT

Spain Claims the World Cup

Spain defeats The Netherlands to win 2010 FIFA World Cup Championship trophy. Midfielder Andrés Iniesta's goal makes the final score 1 to 0.

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Surfer Andy Irons Dies

The surfing community mourns the death of Andy Irons, age 32. The champion surfer had contracted dengue fever, a virus spread by tropical mosquitoes.

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Manny Pacquiao

Manny Pacquiao fights Antonio Margarito to earn the WBC World Super Welterweight title. Pacquiao is also a Congressman in the Philippines.

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Lakers Win NBA Finals

Former Laker great Magic Johnson and Kobe Bryant celebrate the LA Lakers' NBA Finals Game 7 win against the Boston Celtics.

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Zenyatta

In the Breeders' Cup Classic at Churchill Downs, thoroughbred champion racehorse Zenyatta ends her 19-race winning streak, losing by a head to Blame.

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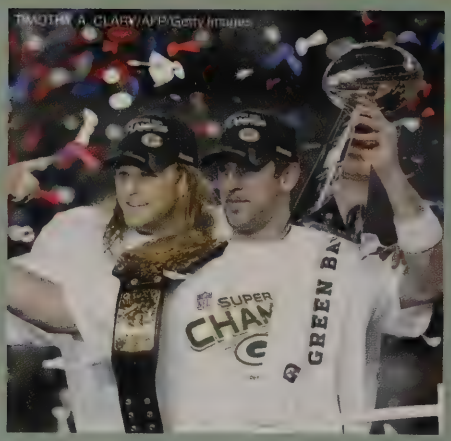

Quarterback Aaron Rodgers leads the Green Bay Packers to a 31-25 Super Bowl victory over the Pittsburgh Steelers.

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Cy Young Award

Phillies pitcher Roy Halladay wins the National League Cy Young Award by a unanimous vote, becoming the fifth pitcher to receive the honor in both leagues.

NFL Stresses Safety

The NFL announces that players can be suspended without pay for dangerous hits to an opponent's head. The move is aimed at preventing tackling injuries.

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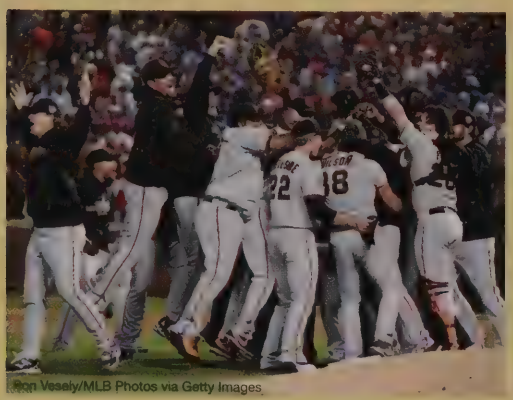
The San Francisco Giants capture the Commissioner's Trophy by defeating the Texas Rangers 3 to 1 in Game 5 of the World Series.



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Tony Hawk welcomes Olympic gold medalist snowboarder Shaun White to his second annual Stand Up for Skateparks benefit in Las Vegas, Nevada.

SPORTS

Jonathan Byrd's Hole-in-one

Golfer Jonathan Byrd wins his fourth PGA Tour victory with a hole-in-one on the fourth playoff hole in the Justin Timberlake Shriners Hospitals for Children Open.

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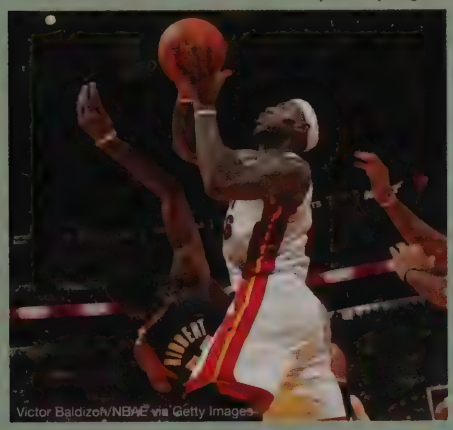
LeBron James announces via live ESPN special that he is leaving the Cleveland Cavaliers to join the Miami Heat. Fans and commentators condemn the move.



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Blackhawks Take Stanley Cup

The Chicago Blackhawks win their first Stanley Cup since 1961. In Game 6, they defeat the Philadelphia Flyers 4 to 3 in overtime.

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NCAA Volleyball Champs

The Penn State Nittany Lions women's volleyball team sweeps California to take the NCAA title for the fourth year in a row.

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Drew Brees Sportsman of the Year

Sports Illustrated presents its 2010 Sportsman of the Year award to New Orleans Saints quarterback, and Super Bowl MVP, Drew Brees.

Federer Ties Sampras Record

Roger Federer catches up to Pete Sampras' record of 64 singles tournament wins by winning the Stockholm Open in Sweden's Royal Tennis Hall.

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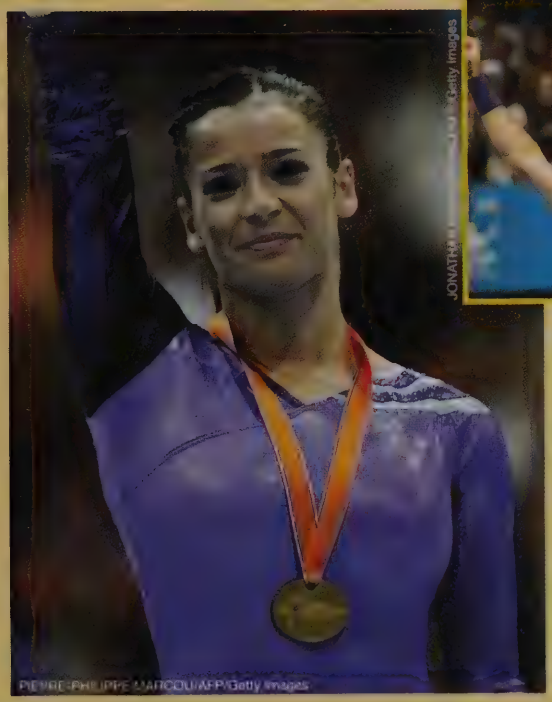
Lindsey Vonn Female Athlete of the Year

The Associated Press names Lindsey Vonn, the Olympic gold medalist skier, as its 2010 Female Athlete of the Year.



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Gymnast Alicia Sacramone takes a hiatus from her college career to take a gold medal for vault at the Artistic Gymnastics World Championships in Rotterdam.

Jimmie Johnson drives his #48 Lowe's Chevrolet to his fifth straight NASCAR Sprint Cup championship at Homestead-Miami Speedway.

Chris Trotman/Getty Images for NASCAR

Serena Williams Wins Her Fourth Wimbledon

Tennis champion Serena Williams captures her fourth ladies' singles title at Wimbledon without losing a single set in the entire tournament.

MUSIC MUSIC M

Katy Perry

Katy Perry's headline-grabbing wedding to Russell Brand and her controversial *Sesame Street* appearance overshadow the release of her new album, *Teenage Dream*.

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My Chemical Romance

"Na Na Na," by My Chemical Romance, is a popular punk anthem. It's included in the Rocktober track pack for *Guitar Hero: Warriors of Rock*.

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Francesca Battistelli

Genre-spanning Christian artist Francesca Battistelli releases a new album, *Hundred More Years*. The first single is "This Is the Stuff."

Jackie Evancho

Jackie Evancho, the 10-year-old soprano who came to fame on *America's Got Talent*, releases a bestselling holiday CD/DVD titled *O Holy Night*.

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Lady Antebellum

Country supergroup Lady Antebellum took home five Grammy awards, including Song of the Year and Record of the Year.

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Bobby Ray Simmons, also known as B.o.B., sees his second single, "Airplanes," soar to the top of the charts in the U.S. and the U.K.

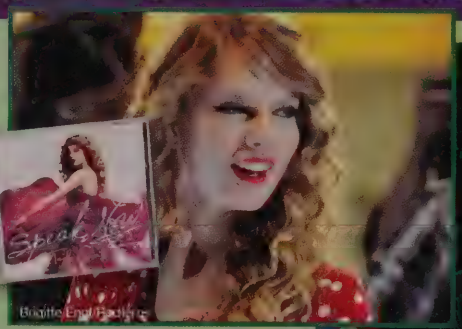
Brigitte Engl/Redferns

Travie McCoy

Travie McCoy, of Gym Class Heroes, releases his first solo album. The lead single, "Billionaire," goes double platinum and tops the U.S. and U.K. charts.

Taylor Swift

Taylor Swift's *Speak Now* is the first release by a female artist since Britney Spears to sell more than 1 million copies in its first week.



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Miranda Lambert receives a record-breaking nine CMA nominations. She wins three trophies, including Album of the Year for *Revolution* and Female Vocalist of the Year.

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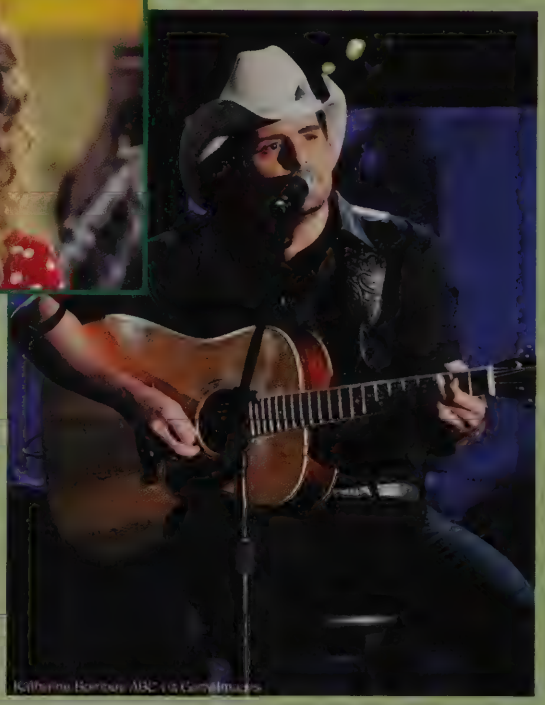

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Brad Paisley takes home the Country Music – Favorite Male Artist award from the American Music Awards and the CMA Entertainer of the Year Award.

USIC MUSIC

Usher

Usher performs at the American Music Awards show and takes home the awards for Male Soul/R&B artist and Favorite Soul/R&B album.

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A surprise comeback gave Train the Grammy for Pop Performance by a Duo or Group for "Hey Soul Sister."

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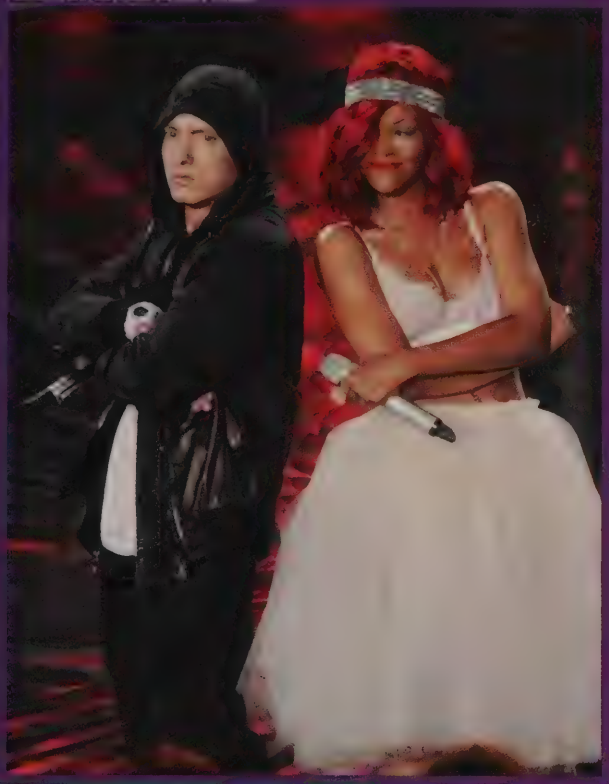

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Lady Gaga took home two Grammy awards for Female Pop Vocal Performance and Pop Vocal Album.

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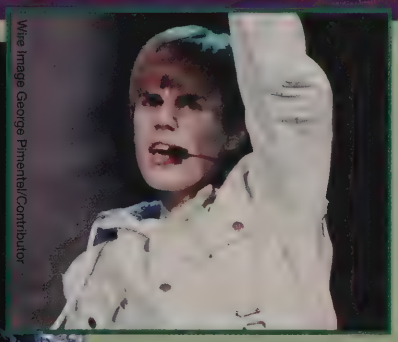

Justin Bieber

Justin Bieber is named Artist of the Year at the American Music Awards. At age 16, he is the youngest recipient of this top honor.

Sugarland wins the CMA Vocal Duo of the Year Award and releases "Stuck Like Glue," the first single from their album, *The Incredible Machine*.

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Eminem

Eminem didn't crack a smile when he expressed his gratitude for winning the Grammy for Rap Solo Performance.

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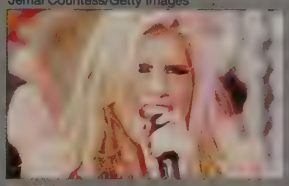

Ke$ha

Ke$ha wins the Best New Act award at the MTV Europe Music Awards and ends the year with three songs on Billboard's Hot 100.

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Enrique Iglesias

Everybody likes "I Like It," the first release from *Euphoria*, Enrique Iglesias's bilingual album. The song tops the charts in the U.S., Canada and Australia.

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Carrie Underwood

Carrie Underwood wows the American Music Awards. Her third studio album, *Play On*, garners the Country Music – Favorite Album award.

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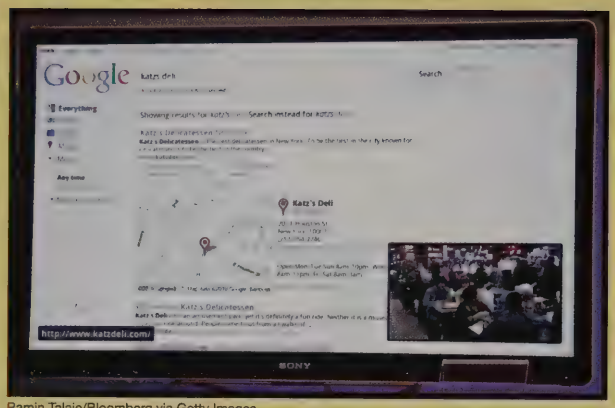
Black Eyed Peas

The Black Eyed Peas release a new album, *The Beginning*, and book an appearance at the halftime show of Super Bowl XLV.

ENTERTAINMENT

Google TV

Google CEO Eric Schmidt gives a talk about how Google TV will unite web surfing with channel surfing.



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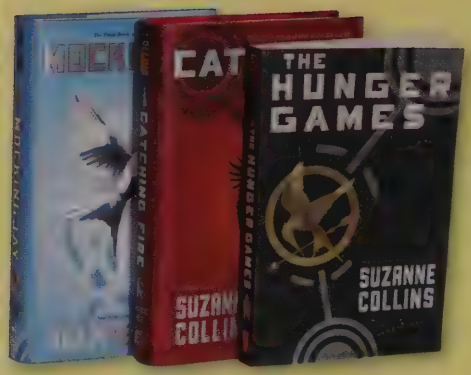
Boom Box

This is definitely not your father's boom box. The latest MP3 technology combined with 1980s styling make this machine a must for modern parties.



Suzanne Collins publishes *Mockingjay*, the third and final book in her popular science fiction series, *The Hunger Games* trilogy.

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Call of Duty: Black Ops

Black Ops, the seventh installment in the *Call of Duty* game series, sells a record-breaking 7 million copies in the first 24 hours of its release.

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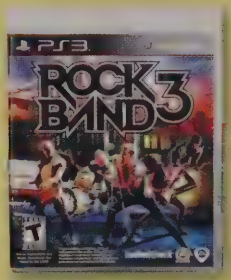
A new, motion-sensing controller debuts for the PlayStation 3 console. The Move is a Bluetooth wireless wand. Players can use up to four at once.



Rock Band 3

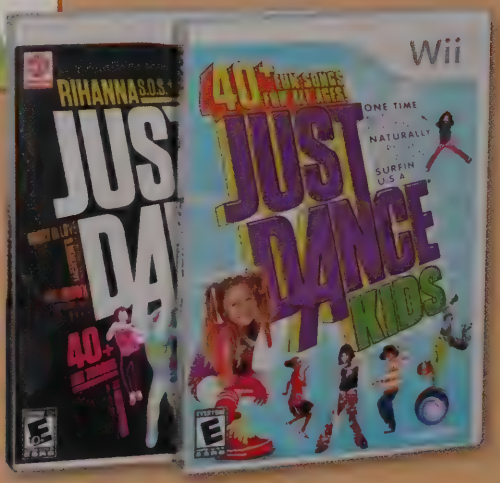
Featuring a new keyboard and 83 songs, Rock Band 3 is released worldwide. Its Pro mode mimics the experience of playing real instruments.

Xbox Kinect

You don't need a controller to play the newest technology games. The Xbox Kinect features a sensor that can read motion, faces and voices.

Bean Bag Chairs

A new generation adopts the retro bean bag chair. This updated classic is ideal for watching television, playing games, reading and keeping up with social media.



Younger kids get their very own dance video game. Just Dance Kids challenges Wii players to master more than 40 dances led by real kids.

The Lost Hero

In *The Lost Hero*, the sequel to his *Percy Jackson & the Olympians* series, author Rick Riordan introduces three new characters: Jason, Piper and Leo.

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TELEVISION

Cake Boss

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Members of the Valastro family, of Carlo's Bake Shop in Hoboken, become popular reality television stars in *Cake Boss* on TLC.

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The cast of *Jersey Shore* appears on *Barbara Walters Presents: The 10 Most Fascinating People of 2010*.

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Team Coco rejoices as Conan O'Brien returns to late night television. Conan uses Twitter and YouTube to announce the premiere of *Conan* on TBS.

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Life Imitates *Glee*

Gleeks are being heard! The popularity of *Glee* prompts a resurgence of glee clubs in middle schools, high schools and colleges across the country.

Minute to Win It, starring Guy Fieri, returns to NBC for a second season of fast-paced challenges and cash awards of up to $1 million.

Aria, Hanna, Emily and Spencer are back for another season of mystery, intrigue and secrets on the ABC suspense drama, *Pretty Little Liars*.

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American Idol

American Idol announces that Jennifer Lopez and Aerosmith's Steven Tyler will join Randy Jackson to judge a new crop of aspiring singers for Season 10.

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No Ordinary Family

No Ordinary Family is a hit ABC drama. After the Powell family survives a South American plane crash, they develop new superpowers — and new enemies.

Betty White

The Associated Press names Betty White, age 88, as its Entertainer of the Year. She poses for a calendar to raise money for animal charities.

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Hawaii Five-O

An iconic, 1960s crime drama returns with a cool, new cast. *Hawaii Five-O* chronicles the adventures of an elite police unit in paradise.

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Outsourced

A call center for an American company is recently outsourced to India in the NBC comedy hit *Outsourced*.

MOVIES MOVIES

The Social Network

In *The Social Network*, Jesse Eisenberg stars as Facebook creator Mark Zuckerberg, the brilliant and abrasive Harvard misfit who revolutionized social media.

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Wall Street: Money Never Sleeps

Shia LeBeouf stars as a young trader who tangles with Gordon Gekko, a disgraced financier played by Michael Douglas, in *Wall Street: Money Never Sleeps*.

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Secretariat

Secretariat, an acclaimed feature film, depicts the true story of a legendary racehorse, the 1973 winner of the Triple Crown of thoroughbred racing.

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True Grit

True Grit, a mythic Western adventure story, earns 10 Academy Award nominations including Best Picture.

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The Tourist

Angelina Jolie is a woman of mystery and Johnny Depp is an ordinary tourist. Or is he? The plot thickens in *The Tourist*.

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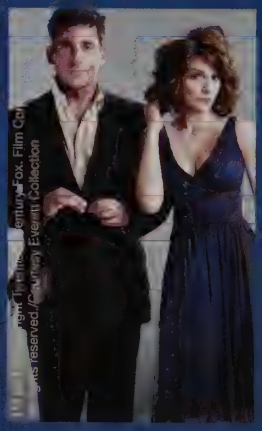

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Date Night

A case of mistaken identity spirals out of control when a suburban couple steals someone else's restaurant reservation in the action comedy *Date Night*.

Pixar/courtesy Everett Collection

What happens to toys once their owners go to college? In *Toy Story 3*, Woody and Buzz Lightyear find new friends and face new challenges.

How Do You Know

Reese Witherspoon tries to decide between Paul Rudd and Owen Wilson in *How Do You Know*, a romantic comedy about a love triangle.

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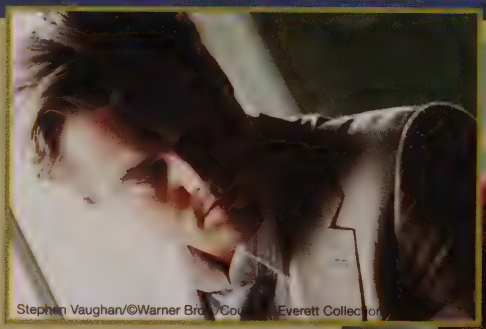
Leonardo DiCaprio

Leonardo DiCaprio is the world's top-grossing movie star. His 2010 releases earn a combined $1.1 billion at the box office.



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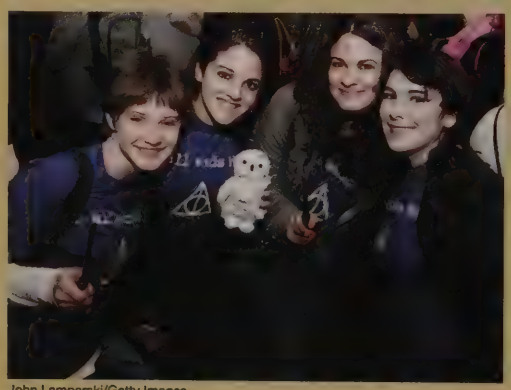
Loyal fans line up for midnight screenings of *Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows – Part 1*. The movie makes $330 million during its first weekend.



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Amanda Seyfried stars as the title character in *Red Riding Hood*, a romantic horror tale about a medieval village terrorized by a werewolf.

MOVIES

Justin Bieber

Teen superstar Justin Bieber hits the big screen with the biopic concert film *Never Say Never*.

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Based on the true story of King George VI, *The King's Speech* earns 12 Academy Award nominations.

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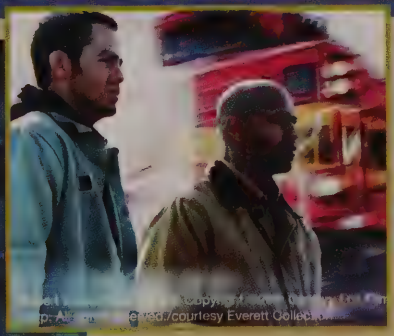
The sequel to a science-fiction thriller from 1982, *Tron: Legacy* follows the adventure of a young man who investigates his father's mysterious disappearance.



Unstoppable

A runaway train is on a collision course with disaster, unless Denzel Washington and Chris Pine can save the day in the suspenseful thriller, *Unstoppable*.

Mysterious "burglaries" in a family home turn out to be something far more sinister in *Paranormal Activity 2*, the prequel to a popular horror film.

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Iron Man 2

Robert Downey, Jr. returns as the inventor-superhero Tony Stark in *Iron Man 2*, a long-awaited sequel featuring storylines adapted from Marvel Comics.

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Life As We Know It

An orphaned baby goddaughter inspires Katherine Heigl and Josh Duhamel to set their differences aside in *Life As We Know It*, a romantic comedy.

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Megamind

When a cartoon super-villain defeats his nemesis, he loses his will to be evil. Will Ferrell lends his voice to the reluctant hero of *Megamind*.

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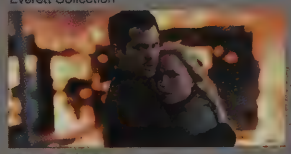

The Crazies

After a mysterious toxin enters the water supply of an Iowa town, many residents go insane in *The Crazies*, a sci-fi horror flick.

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The Chronicles of Narnia

Chronicles of Narnia: The Voyage of the Dawn Treader is a 3D feature film adaptation of the third book in the C.S. Lewis fantasy series.

TRENDS TREND

Plaid Shirt

The boy-style plaid flannel shirt is a popular look for both guys and girls. Just add a pair of perfectly worn jeans.

Tim Umphrey/Getty Images

Top Siders

From popped collars to Top Siders, prep style endures. *True Prep* shows a new generation how it's done and what it means.

Sequins

Shiny, sparkly sequins become a major fashion trend when Zoe Kravitz and runway models are spotted wearing them on hats, dresses and tops.

Hats

Self-expression is always in fashion and the right hat makes it easy to add panache (and hide a bad hair day). All you need is a cute fedora or a jaunty newsboy cap.

Military Jackets

There's nothing olive drab about this trend. Military jackets are snappy, sleek and chic — a far cry from the oversized Army surplus look of yesteryear.

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Dr. Dre's Monster Beats are state-of-the-art headphones that make a strong, street-smart fashion statement. They look cool. And they sound even cooler.

Energy Drinks

Energy drinks are the beverage of choice among sleep-deprived students, despite concerns that they contain unhealthy levels of sugar and caffeine.

Mineral Makeup

Beauty mavens agree: mineral makeup rocks. These sheer, lightweight, powdery formulas are the smart alternative to gooey, pore-clogging foundations.

Pillow Pets

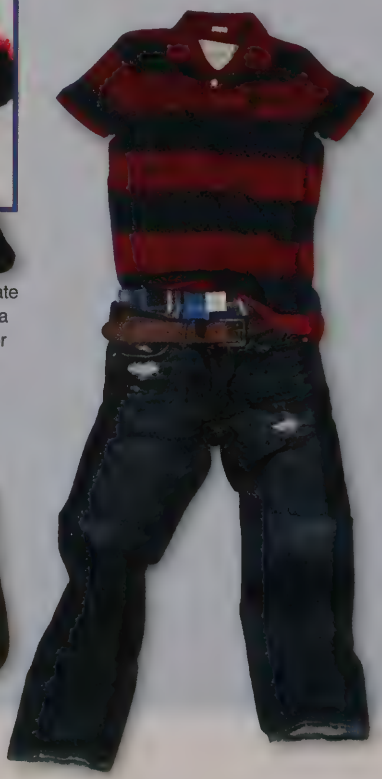
Now it's a stuffed animal. And now it's a pillow. Puffy, popular PillowPets™ may be the snuggliest, softest trend of the year.

Dentists report that more and more teens are asking about teeth bleaching procedures, especially for photo-op occasions like proms or sweet sixteen parties.

Flip Flops

Parents and foot doctors hate them but the flip-flop fad is a year-round phenomenon for guys and girls alike (except during snowstorms).

Get the look with a classic polo, distressed skinny jeans and leather belt with your favorite treads.



Vera Bradley Bags

Colorful, quilted Vera Bradley bags are the epitome of sorority sister style. Devotees mix and match Vera messenger bags, clutches, totes and wallets.

The rugged, battle-tested G-Shock watch is the preferred timepiece of snowboarders, skateboarders, surfers and other extreme sports fans

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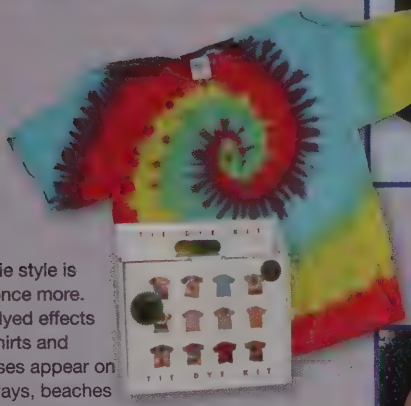

Hippie style is hip once more. Tie-dyed effects on shirts and dresses appear on runways, beaches and boardwalks.

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Cargo Pants

Go for an edgy, urban look in these American Rag Twill Skinny Cargos – perfectly paired with a belted Cowl neck sweater!

Big Scarves

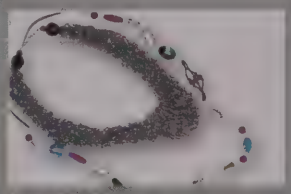
Long, flowing scarves become a year-round trend. This must-have accessory is the easiest way to add color and interest to casual outfits.

Monkey Slippers

It's a toy. It's a slipper. It's a fun fashion trend. Sock monkey slippers are popular in college dorms and at slumber parties.

Silly Bandz

The bandz are banned! Some schools decide that Silly Bandz — the popular silicone rubber bracelets — are too distracting for the classroom.



Long Necklaces

Long, statement necklaces are trend-right. Gossip girls look luxe with Tiffany-style trinkets. Layered, chunky, vintage baubles create an alt-rock, art school vibe.

Everybody needs an afternoon snack but nobody has time for milk and cookies. The newest granola bars deliver easy energy between lunch and practice.

The mountaineer look comes to the metropolis, as high-performance outdoor apparel makes a comfortable, cold-weather fashion statement.

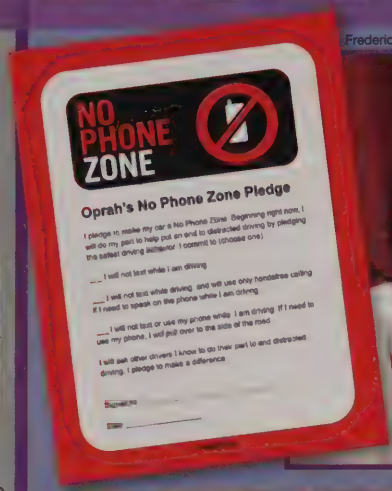
Over the Knee Boots

Boots go to great lengths. Over-the-knee styles are seen everywhere from runways to red carpets. Trendsetters wear them with short skirts or slim leggings.

LIFESTYLE LIFE

Oprah's Pledge

Oprah Winfrey takes on dangerous distracted driving with her No Phone Zone campaign, where celebrities and civilians pledge not to phone or text while driving.



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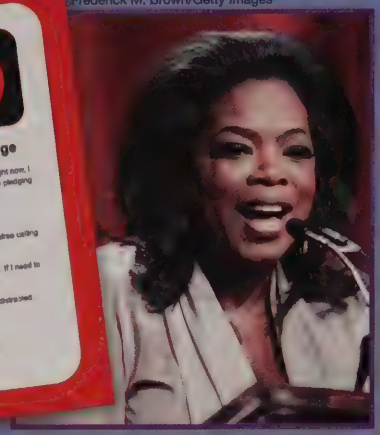

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Flintstones Turn 50

The Flintstones celebrate a milestone as the modern Stone Age family turns 50 on September 30, 2010. A special Google Doodle marks the occasion.

Top 10 Web Searches

The BP oil spill was the top topic of 2010, according to Yahoo! Here are the year's top 10 search terms:

1. BP Oil Spill
2. World Cup
3. Miley Cyrus
4. Kim Kardashian
5. Lady Gaga
6. iPhone
7. Megan Fox
8. Justin Bieber
9. American Idol
10. Britney Spears

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3D leap from the movie screen into the palm of your hand. Panasonic launches the first consumer video camera that can record tridimensional images.

Smartphones become fewer, cheaper and more addictive than ever for everyone who loves to text, surf and maybe even talk once in a while.

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Flat Screens

Consumers are snapping up price cuts on flat screen TVs as prices continue to drop and supply begins to outpace demand.

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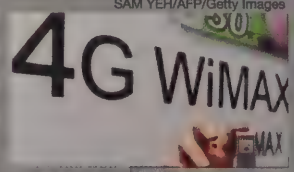

WiMAX 4G Technology

High-speed broadband devices are on the verge of multi-channel high-definition TV broadcasting thanks to emerging WiMAX 4G technology that improves image and data capabilities.

Redbox

Redbox kiosks serve as conveniently located vending machines for DVDs and video games. Just pick a flick and swipe your credit card.

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Disgruntled passengers fight over space in the overhead bins as most airlines institute baggage fees ranging from $15 to $25 per bag per flight.

You can buy anything from puppies to Pontiacs on Facebook's Marketplace app, which rivals Craigslist as the classified section of the social media generation.

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Mark Zuckerberg is Person of the Year

Old media acknowledges the power of new media when TIME names Facebook founder Mark Zuckerberg as its Person of the Year for 2010.

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